

Mr. A. J. Weberman

Review of our Central Records Index disclosed 3 main files, 2-2005, 47-55225, and 52-76526, listed to Edwin B. Kaiser. A total of 373 pages were reviewed of which 284 pages are enclosed for release.


Documents originating with the State Department, United States Coast Guard and the Central Intelligence Agency have been referred to them for direct reply to you.

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The search for information in response to your request was limited to those records in our central records system which are maintained at FBI Headquarters, Washington, D. C. During any significant FBI criminal or intelligence investigation, all substantive information developed by one or more field offices is reported promptly to our Headquarters where it is compiled in a single investigative file. It is from such a file or files that the enclosed records were copied. If you believe additional files of a minor nature exist which may be responsive to your inquiry and which were never reported to Headquarters, you may write directly to any field office for those materials.



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| Field Office ANCHORAGE | Office of Origin ANCHORAGE | Date 6-15-61 | Investigation Period 6-15-61 |
| Title of Case UNKNOWN SUBJECT; Theft of Two M-2 Carbines, Serial Numbers 6734550 and 7537283, From U.S. Army Truck, Mile 77, Glenn Highway, Alaska, 2/20/61 | | Report made by A [REDACTED] | Title ATC |
| Character of Case 87C TOP | | S.P. 1 5/2/61 | |

ADMINISTRATIVE

On 5/17/61, [REDACTED] Anchorage, Alaska, advised he had met **ELWIN B. FAIRER** by name or description and therefore would furnish no information concerning him. He advised no military property through legal channels at both Anchorage Air Force Base and Ft. Richardson, Alaska, and not from private individuals.

LEADS

CINCINNATI DIVISION

AT CINCINNATI, OHIO

Will locate and interview [REDACTED] regarding his handling of the M-2 Carbine during the operation "Willow Freeze" in Fairbanks, Alaska, and for any information as to the present whereabouts of his carbine.

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| Special Agent in Charge [Signature] | Do not write in spaces below |
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ANCHORAGE DIVISION

AT KING MOUNTAIN, ALASKA

Will locate and interview the following who reside in the vicinity of Mile 77, Glenn Highway, for any information regarding this matter:

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[REDACTED]

AT PORT RICHARDSON, ALASKA

Will locate and interview [REDACTED] for any pertinent information concerning this matter.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to: 1 - Provost Marshal, Ft. Richardson, Alaska
1 - Provost Marshal, USARAL, Ft. Richardson, Alaska

Referred to: SA [REDACTED]

Date: 5/31/61

Office: ANCHORAGE

Field Office File No: AN 52-145

Source File No:

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT; Theft of Two M-2 Carbines,
Serial Numbers 6734550 and 7537283, From U.S.
Army Truck, Mile 77, Glenn Highway, Alaska, 2/20/61

Character: THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Synopsis:

Information received that a ED KAISER [REDACTED] involved in the theft of gas and oil from a military tanker Official, CID, Ft. Richardson, Alaska, advised KAISER suspect in the theft of two M-2 Carbines, Serial Numbers 6734550 and 7537283, and other equipment stolen from a U.S. Army truck involved in an accident on 2/20/61, at Glenn Highway, Alaska. [REDACTED] Alaska, knows KAISER and his associates. Stated KAISER visited Gulkana, scene of Willow Freede Operation, and believes KAISER may be involved in theft of equipment from U.S. Army truck involved in accident on 2/20/61. Acquaintance of KAISER, [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, denied knowledge of theft of carbines and equipment from instant U.S. Army truck. Official, CID, Ft. Richardson, stated military gas and commercially available gas not distinguishable. Stated there have been no theft or loss of gas reports made by any military personnel on Willow Freede Operation. Description of equipment stolen from U.S. Army truck obtained. EDWIN B. KAISER, Federal Jail, Anchorage, denied theft and knowledge of theft of equipment from U.S. Army truck, Mile 77, Glenn Highway. Denied theft of gas from military vehicles. Admitted visiting Gulkana but stated he had approval of CID Agent, Specialist [REDACTED] Ft. Richardson, advised his M-2 Carbine, AN 6734550, placed in a box on 1/21/61, that this box was loaded in the truck involved in the accident on 2/20/61, at Mile 77, Glenn Highway. Stated he did not assist in recovery operations and denied theft or sale of stolen weapon.

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DETAILS:

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[redacted] While the tanker was at [redacted] placed TED KAISER (phonetic [redacted]) the latter a Native who resides at [redacted] stole approximately 600 gallons of gas which was emptied into drums and an unknown quantity of motor oil from the vehicle. He advised at the present time KAISER [redacted] are attempting to sell the gasoline for \$15 per drum.

[redacted] He is certain that the gas and oil must be stored around the King Mountain Lodge. He further stated that he did not know whether [redacted] aware of this situation or had anything to do with the theft.

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[redacted] Criminal Investigations Division, Fort Richardson, Alaska, advised that he has an investigation pending in which a TND KALSER is involved. He stated at approximately 2:30 PM on February 20, 1961, a five-ton dump truck overturned at Mile 77, Glenn Highway, approximately 27 miles west of Palmer, Alaska. He advised this truck was part of the military operation Willow Freeze and was returning to Fort Richardson. He advised the driver of the truck was a Private First Class [redacted] the co-driver of the truck was a Specialist [redacted]. He stated on the truck was a weapons chest containing some thirty odd pieces. He stated when the truck overturned the chest was smashed and the weapons were strewn down the hill.

He advised that the driver [redacted] was injured and that the co-driver [redacted] enlisted the aid of a civilian passer-by and [redacted] driven to the hospital located in Palmer, Alaska.

[redacted] after notifying appropriate persons at Fort Richardson, returned to the truck and maintained a guard over it until a group of military policemen came to relieve him. He stated the truck was unattended for a period of time on that same date and the day after recovery operations were undertaken and all but two of the weapons were recovered. The two missing weapons were two M-2 .30 caliber carbines, the Serial Numbers of which are 6734550 and 7537283. He stated these rifles were the automatic type and have never been released for civilian sale. He stated they are plainly marked U. S. property.

He advised that after immediate recovery operations the truck was left unattended for approximately two weeks and when it was finally recovered many parts of the truck had been stolen. Among these, he stated, were the radiator, air compressor, gas personnel heater, headlights, dashboard, carburetor, and the rear differential with the wheels and hub.

He advised that during the recovery of the truck a Warrant Officer in Charge was approached by a dirty, unkempt man, approximately 35 years of age, 5' 6" in height, and this man, who was wearing a beard, offered to buy the truck from the Warrant Officer in Charge.

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37C He advised that [REDACTED] a former Criminal Investigations Division Investigator, and now Commander of the Sheep Mountain Relay Station of the Alaska Communications System, furnished information that a man by the name of KAISER from Chickaloon had been observed for an extended period of time in the vicinity of the scene of the accident. He advised that [REDACTED] did not furnish any other details and he added that [REDACTED] is a very reliable individual.

[REDACTED] it is a coincidence that the two rifles which have turned up missing are the rifles which have been assigned to [REDACTED]. He stated that they are going to be interviewed and he suspects that they will insist their weapons were in the arms chest; however, it is his suspicion that both [REDACTED] were carrying their rifles in the cabin of the truck and that they were stolen from the cabin when the truck was left unguarded for a period of time.

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KAISER was employed by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) as a checker during the hunting season. KAISER resided in a trailer parked at King Mountain Lodge, which trailer was provided by the U. S. FWS. [REDACTED] stated that working with KAISER was a man by the name of [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] was also employed as a checker by the FWS and resided in the same trailer as KAISER.

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He stated in the latter summer of 1960, KAISER was arrested by the Alaska State Police and subsequently was prosecuted and served a period of about 60 to 90 days, in a jail at Palmer, Alaska. He advised that during the period of time KAISER was gone and following his employment with the U. S. FWS, [REDACTED] moved into a cabin built by a [REDACTED]. He advised [REDACTED] left the State of Alaska for a period of time and made arrangements with [REDACTED] to reside in the cabin and to look after it. He stated when KAISER returned from jail, KAISER moved in with [REDACTED]. He stated the cabin is located on the opposite side of the highway from the King Mountain Lodge and approximately one-fourth mile northeast.

He advised that KAISER apparently is in possession of a certain quantity of gas [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] He suspects that KAISER either stole or obtained the gas which he is using from one of the military gas tankers participating in the operation Willow Freeze and which tankers stayed at King Mountain Lodge for several days.

[REDACTED]

KAISER assisted the military personnel when they were quartered at King Mountain Lodge and for this reason believes that he either stole the gas while the gas tank trucks were unattended or was given gas by some members of the military when they were at King Mountain Lodge. He stated that he had some additional

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Information concerning KAISER with respect to the area in which the Willow Freeze operation occurred. He advised that he knows that KAISER, [REDACTED] and several others from nearby visited the war maneuver area; however, he had no knowledge that they obtained anything of value.

[REDACTED] He advised that to his recollection, KAISER went into the maneuver area near Gulkana on approximately February 27, 1961, and with him went [REDACTED] and an employee of [REDACTED] who lives nearby, and that they drove to the maneuver area in KAISER's International pickup truck and a truck borrowed from [REDACTED]. He advised that he did not know how long they were gone and he reiterated that he had no information as to what they obtained in the maneuver area, if they obtained anything.

He advised that KAISER may also be involved in the theft of other Government property. He stated he had in mind an accident involving a military truck, which occurred at approximately Mile 77 on the Glenn Highway in the latter part of February, 1961. He advised that on the day of the accident one of the drivers of the truck used the phone at his lodge to report the accident. He also recalls that the driver of the overturned truck had been injured and was taken to a hospital in Palmer, Alaska, by a civilian. He advised he heard that the truck was subsequently pilfered and he believes that KAISER and [REDACTED] may have been parties to it. The reason he suspects this is as follows:

[REDACTED]

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b7D He advised he cannot recall any gas drums in the vicinity of [redacted] cabin where KAISER reside.

He advised that he knows KAISER as TED KAISER, but at one time he was informed that KAISER's true name was EDWIN KAISER. He described KAISER as follows:

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| Race | White |
| Sex | Male |
| Age | 25 |
| Height | 5' 8" |
| Weight | 150 to 160 pounds |
| Hair | Brown |
| Marital Status | Single |
| Employment | Unemployed |
| Characteristics | Beard |

He described [redacted] as follows:

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| Race | White |
| Sex | Male |
| Age | 25 |
| Height | 5' 7" |
| Weight | 150 to 160 pounds |

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| Hair | Black |
| Marital Status | Single |
| Employment | Unemployed |
| Characteristics | Beard |

He advised that KAISER had another friend, NAME UNKNOWN,

[REDACTED]

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B7C [redacted] Criminal Investigations Division, Fort Richardson, Alaska, advised that he contacted [redacted] Petroleum Distribution, Fort Richardson, and he determined that the octane of the gas used by the military was 82. [redacted] octane in the gas sold at Elmendorf Air Force Base and available only for military personnel also possessed an octane of 82, and further that the gas available to both military and civilian employees on the base had an octane of 81.2. [redacted] due to the fluctuation in octane he would be unable to specifically state that a gas was a military gas. [redacted] there was no element in the gas used solely by the military which would distinguish it as U. S. property on which would distinguish it from gas commercially available to civilians.

[redacted] he talked to [redacted] of the Petroleum Distribution Unit, [redacted] of the 23rd Infantry, a Motor Pool Sergeant of the 80th Transportation Company (Helicopter), and the Assistant Transportation Officer [redacted] of the Transportation Corps and all of them advised that there has never been any report of either a loss or a theft of gasoline from any of the gas tankers which participated in Operation Willow Freeze.

He advised that after the operation Willow Freeze got started, gas was transported to Gulkana, Alaska, in 5,000 gallon tankers. He stated that 1,250 gallon tankers were also used. He explained that the 1,250 gallon tankers would have driven to a half-way point, namely, King Mountain Lodge, Alaska, and would await a convoy of vehicles. When the convoy arrived they would empty the gas out of the tanker and the tanker would then return to Fort Richardson for another supply of gas. He stated that there were many tankers used in such an operation and at the conclusion of operation Willow Freeze, the same thing was done from Gulkana to King Mountain. He added that some of the tankers would remain at King Mountain Lodge for a period of a day or two and also King Mountain Lodge was noted as a rest stop for the military personnel. He explained that the gas tankers used were provided by the Fort Richardson Base; however, he stated that there were several hundred vehicles set aside by the Base Commander for the use of the incoming units who were to participate in the operation Willow Freeze. He stated that the

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SAS [redacted]

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largest unit was the 187th Airborne Battle Group from Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and that they used these vehicles set aside for them for whatever reasons they decided. He stated the Motor Officer for this entire Battle Group was probably back in Fort Bragg, North Carolina. He stated this particular group had their own gas tankers and supplied their own vehicles with gas obtained from Fort Richardson. He stated that although the Motor Officer for this 187th Airborne Battle Group was not available, there was never received any report from that Motor Officer of the theft or loss of any gasoline during the time they were in possession of these vehicles and supplies.

He stated that there was no set procedure followed by the drivers of the gas tankers in servicing military vehicles during the operation Willow Freeze. He explained that some of the drivers would fill any military vehicle with gas from their tanker without executing any receipt. He said other drivers of tankers would make a notation of the gas dispensed to military vehicles. He stated that there are apparently no records reflecting specifically what gas has been dispensed, the amount or to whom, and apparently no inventory records of the gas kept.

He advised that on March 10, 1961, he had an occasion to be in the area where the five-ton dump truck, driven by [REDACTED] overturned on February 20, 1961.

He advised that he was approached by a civilian, short of stature with a beard, and he was asked by the civilian if the civilian could go into the Willow Freeze operation area. He stated that he informed this individual that he could, but warned this individual to be careful of track vehicles as some were in the area. He advised he informed this civilian that he could keep anything he found as long as it was rations and related expendable property. He stated that he informed this civilian that if he found any guns, typewriters, or anything which could be properly identified, it would have to be turned over to the U. S. Government. He advised he informed this civilian that the U. S. Government retrieves vehicles and property and disposes of them through official channels. He stated that this civilian appeared very

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much interested in knowing how to release any weapons if found. He added that with this civilian was another civilian of the same build, bearded, approximately 5' 6" to 5' 8" in height, and wearing hunting type clothes. He advised he got the description of the vehicle in which they were driving and he stated it was a green International pickup bearing Alaska license 55159. He advised he determined that this was registered to a [REDACTED] Anchorage, Alaska.

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████████████████████ 56th Engineers
 Fort Richardson, Alaska, advised he was in charge of the recovery operations of the truck which overturned on the Glenn Highway on February 20, 1961. He advised the actual recovery operations occurred on March 6, 1961. He stated the truck in question was an International Truck, five-ton, 6 X 6 M 51, one dump, bearing Serial Number 2873.

He stated that at the scene of the recovery the truck was examined and it was determined that the following items were missing from the truck, ██████████ with the list of items the Manufacturer's Part Number which should appear either stamped or on a plate affixed to the missing item:

| Item | Manufacturer's Part Number |
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| Carburetor | 801-K786-2A |
| Distributor | 1111561 |
| Generator | 1117486 |
| Water Pump | CO-R602K5011 |
| Radiator | MO-1A52078 |
| Fan | INC 99570R91 |
| Batteries (2) | "US 16TR" underneath handle 6 cells - 12 volt; 23 plate |
| Tires and Wheels | Not identifiable; size of tires 1100 x 20, no serial number on tires |
| Air Compressor | EMZ-224618 |
| Hub | TDA 3330801 |
| Instrument Panel Cluster | AG-1581272 |

On 3/20/61 at Fort Richardson, Alaska

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by SA ██████████

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Voltage Regulator

DN-191601

Brake Drum

II-3219XR-52

Headlights

Not Identifiable

Wheels

No markings

Gas Heater

7700175 or 9700024

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[REDACTED] the Instrument Panel Cluster contained the ammeter, speedometer, tachometer, fuel gauge, air pressure gauge, and oil pressure gauge. He advised that none of the items missing from the truck bear the stamp U. S. property. However, it is believed the items can be shown to be U. S. property by the stock numbers.

He stated that at the time of the recovery operations a mine detector was used in the area of the truck and the two automatic rifles were not located. [REDACTED] that if the two rear wheels on the right side were located they could be easily identified as being part of that military vehicle for the reason that the two wheels, the brake drum, and hub broke off of the truck at the time of the accident right next to the brake drum housing and it could be easily determined if the brake drum housing part of the missing wheels was located that at least that was a part of the military vehicle.

[REDACTED] it is his personal opinion that the persons responsible for the stripping of this truck have an excellent knowledge of mechanics. He stated also wire linkage was expertly removed and there did not appear to be any damage to the area from which the missing parts were taken indicating that the person responsible had a knowledge of motor mechanics.

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EDWIN B. KAISER was interviewed at the Federal Jail, Anchorage, Alaska. Prior to the start of the interview he was advised that he did not have to make a statement and that if he did make a statement it could be used against him in a court of law. He was advised that he could retain the services of an attorney. He was informed that no threats or promises would be utilized to obtain any statement from him.

He advised that on February 20, 1961, he was at King Mountain Lodge at Mile 72, Glenn Highway, Alaska. He advised that a passer-by informed him of an accident at Mile 77 on the Glenn Highway. He stated he drove down there and observed that a military vehicle had left the highway and had gone down the embankment and came to rest about 75 to 100 feet from the highway. He advised that he observed the operations around the accident and then left.

He stated that the next day he again visited the scene of the accident and observed a team of military personnel making the recovery operations. He advised that several days passed before he again visited the scene of the accident at which time there were no military personnel in the vicinity. He recalled there were several civilians walking around in the vicinity of the truck inspecting it and he recalled observing some type of truck parked on the highway; however, he does not recall any names or identifying data on the truck.

B7C He advised that several days passed and he again visited the scene of the accident with a [redacted] Glenn Highway, [redacted] who resides in the vicinity of Mile 77, Glenn Highway, and a boy by the name of DAVE (LNU), who is an employee of [redacted] who resides in the vicinity of Mile 77, Glenn Highway. He stated that all of them examined the military truck and the area around it; however, he stated neither he nor those accompanying him removed any parts from the truck. He advised that neither he nor they recovered any type of military weapons, in particular the two M-2 Carbines. He advised he has no information in his possession as to the identity of the person responsible for the stripping of this truck and the theft of the two carbines.

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He advised that at one time he made a trip into the "Willow Freeze" maneuver area near Gulkana, Alaska, and that he made this trip with [REDACTED]

He advised that one day in the early part of March, 1961, he had an occasion to talk to a Special Agent of the Criminal Intelligence Division (CID), Fort Richardson, Alaska, who was in the vicinity of his residence. He advised that he pointed out to this CID Agent, name unknown, that he wanted to make a trip to the Gulkana area and he specifically requested of the CID Agent what he could salvage. He advised the CID Agent informed him that he could claim such things as C-rations and other expendable property but that if they should find any property which bore serial numbers such as weapons and typewriters that they had to be turned over to the military. He advised he and his associates did make the trip to the Gulkana area and did recover some C-rations, wire and about five gallons of oil.

KAISER advised that [REDACTED] is presently residing in the vicinity of [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, in a cabin owned by [REDACTED]

KAISER advised that [REDACTED] owns a pickup truck for which [REDACTED] makes purchases of gas, batteries and other necessary items.

KAISER denied the theft of any gasoline from any military gas tanker which parked at King Mountain Lodge before, during or after the "Willow Freeze" maneuvers. He stated that to his knowledge [REDACTED] purchases his gas from the King Mountain Lodge at Mile 77.

KAISER advised that he does not possess a 24 volt battery and that such battery would not be used in the pickup truck owned by [REDACTED] and he added that he has observed no 24 volt battery in [REDACTED] possession at any time.

KAISER reiterated that he has no knowledge concerning the identity of the persons responsible for the stripping of the military truck and the theft of the two M-2 Carbines.

KAISER is described as follows:

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Race:
Sex:
Born:
Height:
Weight:
Hair:
Eyes:
Marital Status:
Education:
Military Service:
Mother:

White
Male
February 12, 1935, Norwalk,
Connecticut
5'7"
167 pounds
Brown
Blue
Single
8th Grade, Norwalk, Connecticut
U.S. Military Service; served
in French Foreign Legion 1957-
1959, was wounded, pensioned
and discharged.
ELIZABETH JACK SMITH, address
unknown, Norwalk, Connecticut.

KAISER advised that on May 2, 1961, he was sentenced
in the Superior Court of Alaska to 18 months on the charge of
assault with a Deadly Weapon.

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[REDACTED] MAJ MCO Headquarters
Company, Engineer Battalion, Fort Richardson, Alaska, was interviewed in the offices of the Criminal Intelligence Division (CID), Fort Richardson, Alaska.

He advised that at Fort Richardson he was assigned United States Army M-2 Carbine, Serial Number 673-4550. He advised that on January 19, 1961, he withdrew this rifle from his unit's supply room at which time he turned in his rifle card.

He stated he participated in the United States Army "Willow Freeze" maneuvers in the vicinity of Gulkana, Alaska. He stated that upon arriving at Gulkana he placed this M-2 Carbine in the Maintenance Equipment Platoon Weapons Box. He recalls placing this weapon in the box on January 21, 1961, and he stated the reason he did so was because he was not required to carry the weapon. He advised the box at the time he placed his rifle in it was located between the Parts Tent and the Shop Tent in the maneuver area. He stated that January 21, 1961, was the last time he saw the rifle.

He advised that at the conclusion of the Army maneuvers the Weapons Box in which he had placed his gun was placed on a five-ton dump truck. He stated that he actually supervised the loading of the Weapons Box on the truck. He advised the Weapons Box was locked at the time of the loading and at no time subsequent to January 21, 1961, did he check the Weapons Box to see if his rifle was still there.

He advised that he and [REDACTED] Fort Richardson, Alaska, were in charge of transporting this truck from the Gulkana, Alaska, area to Fort Richardson. He stated that at approximately Mile 77 of the Glenn Highway on February 20, 1961, the brakes failed on this truck and the truck left the highway and went down off the side of the road for a distance of approximately 100 feet. He advised that [REDACTED] who was driving, was badly injured and that he himself suffered minor injury.

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He advised he attempted to relieve [redacted] of his pain at which time a civilian came by and observed the accident. He stated he enlisted the assistance of the civilian and the civilian took [redacted] to King Mountain Lodge on the Glenn Highway where [redacted] telephoned Fort Richardson the details of the accident. He advised the civilian then took [redacted] to the Hospital in Palmer, Alaska.

He advised that he remained at the scene of the accident for several minutes after [redacted] had been taken away and [redacted] from the Motor Pool, Fort Richardson, came by and also a military photographer, name unknown. He advised that [redacted] remained at the scene of the accident until the arrival of the Military Police and that this military photographer took him to King Mountain Lodge and then to 5040th Air Force Hospital, Hinesdorf Air Force Base, Alaska, for a physical examination.

[redacted] reiterated that the last time he saw his weapon was on January 21, 1961. He advised he has no knowledge as to its present whereabouts. He volunteered that he did not steal it and sell it and he explained that in any event, whether it was lost or stolen, he would be responsible to pay the Government out of his pay the cost of the rifle.

He further volunteered that carrying and caring for a rifle during a maneuver is a burdensome job and every soldier welcomes the opportunity to secure his weapons if he does not have to carry them. He stated that for this reason he welcomed the opportunity to place the weapon assigned to him in the Weapons Box. He recalled that when he placed his weapon in the Weapons Box there were many other weapons therein and in addition there were some bayonets.

He stated at the scene of the accident the Weapons Box had been thrown off the truck and had broken open and the weapons had scattered over the terrain in the vicinity of the truck. He stated he did not endeavor at the time of the accident to recover any of the guns but that he understood that recovery operations were commenced that day or the following day by military personnel from Fort Richardson.

He advised that during the maneuvers in the Gulkana area he observed no one attempting to enter the locked weapons box in which he had placed his rifle.

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He stated that when his rifle turned up missing as a result of the inventory of weapons at Fort Richardson he was interviewed by Special Agents of the CID, Fort Richardson, concerning his rifle; however, he explained to them how he had secured his rifle in the maneuver area and had not seen it since the day of January 21, 1961, when he had secured it.

87C He advised that about two weeks ago he happened to be in downtown Anchorage and met a [redacted] who was assigned to the Motor Pool at Fort Richardson. He advised he was having coffee with [redacted] and the subject of the two missing rifles was brought up and he stated that [redacted] to him that the military should check with [redacted] regarding the disposition of the rifles. He stated [redacted] did not elaborate further and he stated he made this information available to the CID Office at Fort Richardson.

He advised that should he obtain any information concerning the whereabouts of his rifle he would immediately notify the FBI.

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On April 11, 1961, [redacted] Criminal Investigations Division (CID), Fort Richardson, Alaska, advised both [redacted] have been interviewed and could furnish no information concerning the present whereabouts of the military weapons assigned to them. He advised [redacted] indicated that on or about January 20, 1961, he placed his M-2 Carbine in a wooden box which wooden box was placed on the truck which was involved in the accident on Glenn Highway on February 20, 1961. He advised the recovery operations failed to recover this rifle on [redacted]

He advised the same information was obtained from [redacted]

On May 2, 1961, there appeared in the "Anchorage Daily Times," a daily newspaper in Anchorage, Alaska, an article which stated that EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., age 20, Mile 77, Glenn Highway, was sentenced to 18 months in prison for threatening a State Trooper with a rifle last September 2, 1960, near Sheep Mountain.

On May 11, 15 and 18, 1961, [redacted] Fort Richardson, Alaska, was contacted and had no additional information concerning this matter.

On May 16, 1961, [redacted] mentioned above, advised that [redacted] has been discharged from the service and that his home address is [redacted]

On March 18, 1961, two attempts were made to locate [redacted] Glenn Highway, Alaska, by JAS [redacted] however, he was unable to be located.

On March 21, 1961, [redacted] ME Detachment, Fort Richardson, Alaska, advised that on March 20, 1961, he had an occasion to talk to a [redacted] Glenn Highway, who is the father of Alaska State Police [redacted] During the course of the conversation, [redacted] mentioned the fact that he was acquainted with subject [redacted] and that KAISER has the reputation of being a pilferer. [redacted] advised that KAISER supposedly resides at King Mountain, and is supposedly the nephew of the owner of the King Mountain Lodge.

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On April 17, 1961, and May 2 and 3, 1961, attempts were made by SA [redacted] to interview [redacted] Glenn Highway; however, he was unable to be located at his residence.

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| Anchorage Office ANCHORAGE | Office of Origin ANCH. AGF | Date 5/21/61 | Intramemo Bureau 5/23/61 |
| Title of Case CHANGED EDWIN B. KAISER, aka. Ted Kaiser; <div style="background-color: black; width: 150px; height: 20px; margin-top: 5px;"></div> | | Character of Case <div style="background-color: black; width: 150px; height: 20px; margin-top: 5px;"></div> B7C TCR; JDA | |

The title of this report has been marked "Changed" to reflect the names of the subjects as developed by investigation reported herein. The title was previously carried as "UNKNOWN SUBJECT; Theft of Two M-1 Carbines, Serial Numbers 6734550 and 7527083, From U.S. Army Truck, Mile 77, Glenn Highway, Alaska, 8/20/61, TOP."

REFERENCE

Report of SA dated 5/21/61, at Anchorage.
 Anchorage airtel to Los Angeles dated 8/31/61 (Interoffice).

ADMINISTRATIVE

One copy of this report is being designated to the Los Angeles Office for information purposes since investigation is outstanding within that division. It is to be noted that this report contains more information concerning the matter in question than has

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| Special Agent in Charge Bureau (52-76526) USA, Anchorage Provost Marshal, Fort Induce Richardson Provost Marshal, USARAT, Fort Richardson, Alaska Los Angeles (Info) Anchorage (52-1475) | Do not write in spaces below. <div style="font-size: 2em; margin-top: 20px;">16-26-2</div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;">MGT-43</div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;">28</div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;">SEE REVERSE</div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;">52-76526-2</div> |
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furnished the Los Angeles Office by airtel on 8/31/61. In the event KAISER has not been interviewed information in this report will be of material assistance for his interview. In the event KAISER has been interviewed on the basis of information furnished in referenced airtel it is suggested that no reinterview be scheduled with KAISER at this time.

LEADS

ANCHORAGE DIVISION

AT MILE 78, GLENN HIGHWAY, ALASKA

1. Will interview [redacted] regarding their participation and/or knowledge of the theft of component parts of the U.S. Army truck involved in the accident on Glenn Highway on 2/20/61.

2. Will reinterview [redacted] for a more detailed statement concerning his participation and knowledge of the theft of parts from the military vehicle in question.

AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

Will present facts of this case to USA for his prosecutive opinion.

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[redacted] advised as follows:

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He stated he was stationed at Fort Richardson, Alaska, during the month of January, 1961. He recalled that he carried his weapon, an M-2 Carbine, Serial Number unknown, Stock #34, to the Company Armory on January 6, 1961. He stated he was assigned to participate in the Advanced Party of Operation Willow Freeze in the area of Gulkana, Alaska, and departed Fort Richardson, Alaska, January 6, 1961. He advised that, as a member of the Advanced Party, he was not required to carry his weapon with him, so he turned it over to the company Armorer whose duty it was to transport the company weapons to Gulkana, Alaska. He recalled that he had occasion to have possession of his weapon during Operation Willow Freeze once for a company inspection, which took place sometime during the period January 18 - 20, 1961. He indicated that after this inspection, he returned his weapon to the platoon weapons box. He stated that this was the last occasion he saw his weapon.

He indicated that on February 20, 1961, he was driving a five ton dump truck, which carried the aforementioned platoon weapons box. He advised that he was accompanied by [redacted] who was in charge of the truck and its cargo. He stated that while driving on the Glenn Highway, near Mile 77, the brakes on the truck failed and the truck went off the highway, down an embankment where it came to rest approximately 150 to 200 feet from the highway. He recalled that he blacked out sometime while the truck was crashing down the embankment. He stated he was thrown clear of the truck and regained consciousness a short time after the accident. He recalled that [redacted] administered first aid to him and assisted him up the embankment to the highway where two civilians driving a recent model station wagon, stopped and offered their assistance. He described these civilians

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as a man and woman, possibly hunters. He indicated that this man and woman transported him to Palmer Presbyterian Hospital where he was treated for a bruised elbow and wrist and lacerations on the head. He stated that during the evening of February 20, 1961, he was transferred to Elmendorf Air Force Base Hospital, where he was subsequently discharged on February 23 or 24, 1961.

BIC He stated he did not return to the scene of the accident and could offer no suggestion as to the location of his weapon. He emphatically stated he did not steal this weapon nor did he have any knowledge that [redacted] stole his weapon.

He advised that during the greater portion of Operation Willow Freeze, he was assigned to help build gas tanks near a gravel pit off the Glenn Allen Highway, Alaska. While men in his platoon and he were building these gas tanks an individual often visited the area. He described this individual as follows:

| | |
|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Race | White |
| Sex | Male |
| Height | 5'6" 5'7" |
| Weight | 150-160 |
| Age | appeared to be in early 40's |
| Hair | light brown |
| Characteristics | Wears a beard |
| Employment | possibly owns a trading post |
| Miscellaneous | near Glenn Allen Highway |
| | drives 1949 or 1951 green |
| | Hudson automobile. |

He stated this individual was quite friendly with the men of his platoon and frequently furnished caribou meat to the men. He recalled that subsequent to this individual's appearances at the gravel pit, shortages of gasoline from

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the platoon vehicles parked in the area were noted by the drivers of these vehicles. He described the gravel pit as being below the area where the gas tanks were being built and stated that the platoon trucks usually were parked at the gravel pits while the men worked above on the construction of the gasoline tanks. He related that these shortages of gasoline stopped after the trucks were parked in view of the members of the platoon in the immediate area of the gasoline tank construction sight.

He advised that should he obtain any information concerning the theft of his rifle, through communication, with his army associates, he would immediately notify the FBI.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED]

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On July 8, 1961, [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, Alaska, advised her husband left for Shemya, Alaska, in early April, 1961, and his return was expected in October, 1961.

On July 8, 1961, [REDACTED] Highway, denied the theft of rifles and parts from the United States Army truck involved in the accident on February 20, 1961, at Mile 78, Glenn Highway. He advised that he had no knowledge concerning this theft.

On July 8, 1961, [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, advised he recalls the United States Army vehicle involved in the accident at Mile 78, Glenn Highway. He advised he has heard that police were conducting an investigation concerning parts stolen from the truck. He stated that the only person that he would suspect of such an action was KAISER who resides on Glenn Highway near the accident.

He stated that in March, 1961, he had observed some fresh tracks in the snow leading from Chickaloon Road into an adjoining field. He advised he never followed these tracks. He stated about the time he observed these tracks KAISER and his neighbor, [REDACTED] visited him and he mentioned to KAISER the tracks in the snow. He stated KAISER informed him to stay out of that field and not attempt to follow the tracks. [REDACTED] stated that at the time he thought KAISER may have shot a moose illegally and concealed the carcass there.

He advised that [REDACTED] can be reached in care of [REDACTED] Glenn Highway. He advised that there is no one in the neighborhood by the name of [REDACTED] but that there is a [REDACTED] resides on Chickaloon Road.

He advised he has never seen any United States parts and parts of a United States Army truck in the possession of [REDACTED] KAISER, [REDACTED]

On July 8, 1961, a mobile observation was made in the field described by [REDACTED] above; however, nothing of value was observed or discovered.

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On July 8, 1961, attempts were made to locate

all of which reside in the vicinity of Mile 77, Glenn Highway, with negative results.

On July 10, 1961, Special Agent [REDACTED] Criminal Investigations Division, Fort Richardson, Alaska, advised that [REDACTED] Fort Richardson, had been interviewed and could not furnish any pertinent information concerning this investigation.

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[redacted] was interviewed at his residence [redacted] Glenn Highway, Alaska. Prior to the start of the interview he was advised he did not have to make a statement and if he did make a statement it could be used against him in a court of law. He was advised he could retain the services of an attorney. No threats or promises were offered him for his statement.

[redacted] advised that he recalls the accident involving the United States Army five ton dump truck which occurred at Mile 73 on the Glenn Highway in February, 1961.

He advised that he visited the scene of the accident on several occasions but denied theft of any property from the truck. He stated he has no knowledge concerning the theft of any guns from the truck and he has no knowledge concerning the theft of any of the component parts of the truck such as the radiator, generator and the like.

[redacted]

He advised he has no knowledge concerning the battery stolen from this truck and he has no knowledge concerning any stolen gas from any of the military vehicles which were parked for sometime on the Glenn Highway during the military operation "Willow Freeze".

[redacted] declined to furnish a signed statement and refused to discuss the above matter more thoroughly.

[redacted] is described as follows:

Race: [redacted]

Sex: [redacted]

Born: [redacted]

Height: [redacted]

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Eyes:
Hair:
Education:

Military Service:

Marital Status:
Occupations:
Employers:
Relatives:
Fathers:
Mothers:
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On August 13, 1961, an attempt was made to locate [redacted] in the vicinity of Mile 77, Glenn Highway, with negative results.

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On August 26, 1961, [redacted] Federal Jail, Anchorage, Alaska, advised subject EDWIN B. RAISEH was transferred to the Federal Correctional Institution, Lompoc, California, on May 23, 1961.

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On September 13, 1961, an attempt was made by SAs [redacted] to locate subjects [redacted] at their residences, about Mile 77, Glenn Highway, Alaska.

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On September 13, 1961, [redacted] advised that subject [redacted] was in the bush country, guiding a hunting party and was not due to return for two weeks. She advised that to her knowledge, subjects [redacted] continued to live in the area.

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[redacted] was interviewed at his residence, [redacted] Alaska. Prior to the start of the interview he was advised that he did not have to make a statement and if he did make a statement it could be used against him in a court of law. He was advised he could retain the services of an attorney. No threats or promises were offered him for his statement.

[redacted] he recalls the accident on Glenn Highway of the United States Army military vehicle in approximately 1961. He stated he never personally inspected the scene of the accident but recalls observing the damaged vehicle from the highway. He stated that he never stole anything from the truck in question or from the area of the scene of the accident.

[redacted] did visit the scene of the accident and did participate in removing some parts from the truck. He stated that to his recollection [redacted] ED KAISER [redacted] who resided [redacted] at that time, and [redacted] who resided [redacted] nearby, visited the truck when it had been left unattended by the military authorities. He stated they returned from the truck with parts of the truck but he advised he does not know what parts they obtained or where they stored them. He stated they may have stored the parts [redacted] but he does not recall.

[redacted]

He advised that sometime in March, 1961, it was brought to his attention that FBI Agents were in the vicinity interviewing people and endeavoring to locate the stolen parts from the military vehicle. He stated at that time he told his

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He advised that he does not recall when they moved these parts or how they moved these parts and he does not know where they moved these parts. He advised he used none of these parts himself and does not know their present whereabouts.

He declined to furnish a written statement.

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In a field bordering Chickaloon Road about 2.5 miles from where Chickaloon Road intersects Mile 78, Glenn Highway, Alaska, there was recovered from a gully near a woods the following described United States property:

1. One Radiator
2. One Radiator Grill Guard
3. One Driver's Seat Cushion
4. One Passenger's Seat Cushion
5. One 12-volt Battery marked "USC-7"
6. One Instrument Panel Cluster
7. One Control Box for an Engine Heater
8. Two 24-volt Guide Lamps
9. One Engine Air Cleaner
10. One Head Light Lamp
11. One Carburetor

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Date 9/21/61

In a field bordering Chickaloon Road about 2 1/2 miles from where Chickaloon Road intersects Mile 78, Glenn Highway, Alaska, there was recovered from a gully near a woods the following described United States property:

1. A set of dual wheels, including two tires, two tubes, both of which are mounted on two wheels and attached to the wheels is the hub assembly which includes a part of the axle, the axle housing and the brake drum. The tires are Goodyear Nylon Tires in size 11:00 x 20. They are 12 ply rating and each tire is marked "Military S-021 1961". Their Serial Numbers are A9B4570 and A9B4581.

2. One metal box for welding and cutting equipment measuring 33 1/2" x 12" x 13 1/2".

On 9/15/61

File 78, Glenn Hwy.

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Motor
 Officer, 56th Engineer Company (Const), Fort Richardson,
 Alaska, was contacted, at which time he identified the
 recovered U. S. Government property, supplied the Federal
 stock number and cost of each item. They are as follows:

| Item Name | Federal Stock Number | Cost \$ | Number | Total Value |
|----------------------|----------------------|---------|--------|-------------|
| Radiator | 2930-737-5556 | 86.60 | 1 | 86.60 |
| Cluster, Panel | 2510-738-5073 | 303.00 | 1 | 303.00 |
| Lamp-Unit, Assy | 6240-299-6930 | 3.60 | 1 | 3.60 |
| Guard, Brush | 2510-832-7016 | 10.50 | 1 | 10.50 |
| Cleaner, Air Assy | 2940-740-9304 | 22.60 | 1 | 22.60 |
| Light, Tail & Stop | 6220-776-0507 | 1.10 | 2 | 2.20 |
| Battery, Storage 12v | 6140-057-2554 | 17.50 | 1 | 17.50 |
| Seat, Companion | 2510-737-3307 | 37.40 | 1 | 37.40 |
| Seat, Driver | 2510-737-3306 | 15.00 | 1 | 15.00 |
| Wheel w/rim, Assy | 2530-738-8820 | 27.70 | 2 | 55.40 |
| Tires, 11.00 x 20 | 8610-262-8653 | 70.20 | 2 | 140.40 |
| Tubes, 11.00 x 20 | 2610-051-9450 | 5.67 | 2 | 11.34 |

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EDWIN B. KAISER, No. 2041-LC; Federal Correctional Institution (FCI), Lompoc, California, was advised that he did not have to say anything, that anything he said could be used in a court of law against him and that he had the right to an attorney.

KAISER stated that he has previously been interviewed in this matter and that at this time he can furnish no additional information. KAISER denies taking or having any knowledge who might have taken the particular items that were missing from the government truck. He stated that he viewed the wrecked truck on two or three different occasions but that he never participated in any activity of stripping articles from this vehicle.

KAISER stated that he will be released from FCI in approximately 10 to 12 days and expressed hope that this matter would not effect his release date. He stated that his plans are to return to Alaska where he hopes to obtain employment with a construction firm. He stated that he hopes to arrive in Anchorage on October 2, 1961 and that his probation officer will be in Anchorage.

The following description was obtained through observation and interview:

| | |
|-----------------|---|
| Sex | Male |
| Race | White |
| Birth date | February 12, 1935, Norwalk, Connecticut |
| Height | 5'8 1/2" |
| Weight | 167 pounds |
| Hair | Brown, wavy |
| Eyes | Blue |
| Marital status | Single |
| FBI No. | 2041-LC |
| Scars and marks | Scar on back of left leg about 10 inches long; 1 1/2" scar on right wrist |
| Tattoo | "Panther" upper right arm |

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The facts of this matter were discussed on November 3, 1961, with Assistant United States Attorney JAMES H. CLOUSE, Jr., for the District of Alaska. Mr. CLOUSE authorized prosecution of subjects KAISER, [REDACTED]

On November 3, 1961, a complaint was filed by [REDACTED] before United States Commissioner HUGH R. WHITE charging subjects KAISER, [REDACTED] with violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 641, Theft of Government Property of a value greater than \$100. Warrants for the arrest of the four were issued and delivered to the United States Marshal's Office.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: USA, Anchorage, Alaska
Provost Marshal, Fort Richardson, Alaska
Provost Marshal, USARAC, Fort Richardson, Alaska

Report of SA [REDACTED]
Date: 9/22/61

Office: ANCHORAGE

Field Office File No.: AN 52-1475

Bureau File No.: 52-76526

Re: EDWIN B. KAISER; [REDACTED]

Character: THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY; JUVENILE DELINQUENCY ACT

Synopsis:

[REDACTED] driver of the U.S. Army five-ton truck involved in accident on Glenn Highway, Alaska, on 2/20/61, could furnish no identifying information re subjects. [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, not available.

Suspect [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, denies theft of rifles and parts from truck. Acquaintance of subject KAISER suspects KAISER to have possibly concealed some things near [REDACTED] on 7/8/61, [REDACTED] denied theft of rifles and parts from truck. On 7/31/61, subject [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, admitted theft of dual wheels and other component parts from U.S. Army truck. Denied theft of rifles. Implicated subjects [REDACTED] KAISER.

Subject [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, denied theft of military rifles and component parts from U.S. Army truck. Admitted dual wheels and component parts from truck stored on his property. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] involved in theft of parts from same vehicle, [REDACTED] Alaska, in signed statement admitted theft of parts from truck and implicates KAISER.

[REDACTED] stealing parts and [REDACTED] theft of rifles, [REDACTED] in signed statement admits theft of parts from U.S. Army truck and their concealment. Implicated KAISER, [REDACTED] in theft of parts from U.S. Army truck recovered and identified. Motor Officer, [REDACTED] Alaska, has identified U.S. property and states its value at \$933.24. U.S. Army vehicle from which above parts stolen presently being held in secure storage at Fort Richardson. Value \$933.24.

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AIRMAIL.

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FROM: SAC, ANCHORAGE (52-1475)

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at Anchorage. Rereps S. [redacted] date: 5/31/61, and 9/22/61

Complaint authorized by ADJA JAMES R. CLOUSE, JR.,
Anchorage, Alaska, filed 11/3/61, by SA [REDACTED]
before USG HUGH B. WHITE, Anchorage, charging subjects KAISER,
[REDACTED] with violation Title 18,
USC, Section 641 - TGP. Warrants issued same date and
delivered to USG [REDACTED]

But act KAISER as being a person who was born and
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| Memo to Mr. [] |
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Re: airtel dated 11/3/61.

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Subject: [redacted] apprehended by Bureau Agents at [redacted] Glenn Highway, Alaska, 11/6/61, and taken to Anchorage, Alaska, where incarcerated in Federal Jail. Upon initial appearance same date subject waived preliminary examination and released on \$500 bond.

Attempts to apprehend remaining two fugitives are continuing.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM SAC ANCHORAGE

MARTIN B. KAISER, AKA. - FUGITIVE; ET AL. TOP: JDA. RE: YALIELS
NOVEMBER 3 AND 7, 1961. SUBJECT [REDACTED] SURRENDERED
AT ANCHORAGE OFFICE NOVEMBER 8. TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY
SA [REDACTED] AND DELIVERED TO USA, PROBATION OFFICER
NOTIFIED. SUBJECT [REDACTED] SURRENDERED NOVEMBER 8,
1961, TO US, ANCHORAGE. USOF HUGH B. WHITE, ANCHORAGE,
RELEASED SUBJECTS ON BOND FOLLOWING ARRANGEMENT.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Office of Origin: ANCHORAGE Date: 11/14/61 Investigative Period: 9/29 - 11/9/61

OF CASE: EDWIN B. KAISER, aka. - FUG;

CHARACTER OF CASE

GP JDA

REFERENCES

Report of SA [redacted] dated 9/22/61 at Anchorage;
 Los Angeles letter to Anchorage dated 9/25/61 (interoffice);
 Anchorage airtels to the Bureau dated 11/3 and 11/7/61.
 Anchorage radiogram to the Bureau dated 11/11/61.
 Anchorage letter to the United States Attorney dated 11/9/61.

ENCLOSURES:

TO THE BUREAU

Probation flash letters for subjects [redacted]

- 1 Bureau (52-76526)
- 1 USA, Anchorage
- 1 Provost Marshal, Ft. Richardson
- 1 Provost Marshal, USARAC, Ft. Richardson
- 2 Anchorage (52-1475)

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ANCHORAGE DIVISION

AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

Will follow and report final results of prosecution
in this matter.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 USA, Anchorage
1 Provost Marshal, Fort Richardson, Alaska
1 Provost Marshal, USARL, Fort Richardson, Alaska
R. post of: SA [REDACTED] Office: ANCHORAGE
Date: 11/24/61
Field Office File No.: AN 52-1475 Bureau File No.: 52-76526
Title: EDWIN R. KAISER; [REDACTED]

Character: THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY - JUVENILE DELINQUENCY ACT

Synopsis: Subject KAISER interviewed at Federal Correctional Institution, Lompoc, California, 9/19/61, denied any knowledge this matter. AUSA JAMES R. CUCUSE, Jr., District of Alaska, authorized prosecution of subjects KAISER, [REDACTED] and on 11/3/61 complaint filed by SA [REDACTED] before USC HUGH B. WHITE, Anchorage, charging violations of Title 18, USC, Section 641. Warrants issued and delivered to USM. On same date subject KAISER apprehended Anchorage, lodged in Federal Jail. In initial appearance same date KAISER waived preliminary examination and remanded custody of USM in lieu of \$2500 bond. In interview immediately following apprehension, KAISER made partial admission concerning this matter. Subject [REDACTED] apprehended at [REDACTED] Glenn Highway, 11/6/61, lodged in Federal Jail, Anchorage. In initial appearance same date [REDACTED] waived preliminary hearing and released on \$500 bond. On 11/8/61 subjects [REDACTED] surrendered at Anchorage. In initial appearance same date both waived preliminary examination; [REDACTED] released on own recognizance and [REDACTED] released on \$250 bond. On 11/9/61 subjects KAISER [REDACTED] appeared in USDC, Anchorage, waived prosecution by indictment and entered pleas of guilty to information filed that date charging violation Title 18, USC, Section 641. Sentencing deferred until 11/24/61.

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[REDACTED] KAISER released on bond. Subject [REDACTED] processed as juvenile delinquent 11/9/61 and placed on probation for one year. On 11/13/61 subject [REDACTED] appeared in USDC, waived prosecution by indictment and entered plea of guilty to information charging violation Title 18, USC, Section 641. On same date [REDACTED] sentenced to one year suspended and placed on probation for one year.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 11/14/61

EDWIN B. KAISER was located at his place of employment a roofing job on Slim's Inn, Campbell Street between Ninth and Tenth Avenues, and was taken into custody. He was taken to the Federal Jail where he was booked pending appearance before the United States Commissioner later that day.

On the way to the Jail KAISER was advised that he need not talk to the agents, that anything he told them could later be used against him in a court of law, and that he was entitled to consult an attorney before making any statement. KAISER advised that he had discussed this matter with a priest who had advised him not to say anything and that accordingly he desired not to discuss this matter; however, KAISER suddenly volunteered that he had attempted to buy the truck that had been stripped before it was stripped, and that the military had refused to sell it to him. At this point KAISER was asked what had become of the personnel heater, air compressor, and generator from the truck, all of which equipment had not been recovered. KAISER stated that he had never seen the air compressor or the personnel heater, but that the generator should have been "with the rest of the stuff, it was all together". At this point KAISER stated he did not wish to discuss it any further.

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On 11/3/61 at Anchorage, Alaska

File # AN 62-1475

by SA [REDACTED]

Date 11/14/61

AN 52-1475

EDWIN B. KAISER was taken on November 3, 1961, before United States Commissioner HUGH B. WHITE. At that time KAISER waived preliminary examination and was remanded to custody of the United States Marshal in lieu of \$2500 bond.

AT MILE 78, GLENN HIGHWAY, ALASKA

On November 6, 1961, efforts were made to locate and apprehend subjects [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Glenn Highway, advised [REDACTED] was away on a caribou hunting expedition and was expected to return to this vicinity on approximately November 7, 1961. He said that subject [REDACTED] had probably driven to Palmer, Alaska, in his red and silver 1950 Ford pickup.

AT PALMER, ALASKA

Efforts were made to locate subject [REDACTED] in Palmer, Alaska. A patrol of [REDACTED] the streets of downtown Palmer failed to locate either [REDACTED] his 1950 Ford pickup.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 11/14/61

[redacted] was located at the cabin of [redacted] Glenn Highway, Alaska, on November 6, 1961, and was taken into custody. [redacted] was taken to the Federal Jail, Anchorage, Alaska, where he was booked pending appearance before the United States Commissioner later that same date.

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On 11/6/61 at Mile [redacted] Glenn Highway, File # AN 52-1475
Alaska

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AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

[REDACTED] was taken before United States Commissioner HUGH B. WHITE for initial appearance on November 6, 1961. At that time [REDACTED] waived preliminary examination and was released on \$500 bond pending further proceedings in this matter in the United States District Court.

AT MILE 77, GLENN HIGHWAY, ALASKA

[REDACTED] advised on November 8, 1961, that he had spoken with both [REDACTED] that date. He said he had advised both of them that there were Federal felony warrants outstanding for them in Anchorage and that it would be necessary for them to appear in Anchorage in connection with these charges and that both had agreed to do so. He said that he understood they would be in later that date to turn themselves in.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 11/14/61

At approximately 3:30 p.m. November 8, 1961, [redacted] surrendered himself at the Anchorage Office of the FBI and was taken into custody by SA [redacted]. He was immediately transported via Government vehicle to the United States Marshal's Office, Anchorage, and turned over to the custody of Deputy United States Marshal [redacted].

On the same date [redacted] the United States Probation Officer, Federal Building, Anchorage, was advised that [redacted] was a juvenile, 17 years of age, and in the custody of the United States Marshal on charges of theft of Government property. [redacted] advised that the Probation Officer, [redacted] was then in Fairbanks, Alaska, or its vicinity and would not return to Anchorage until November 13, 1961. She said she would make the appropriate record concerning [redacted] and keep [redacted] advised.

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On 11/8/61

Anchorage, Alaska

File #

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AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

[REDACTED] voluntarily appeared at the office of the United States Commissioner at approximately 8:00 p.m. on November 8, 1961, to surrender himself. On initial appearance before United States Commissioner HUGH B. WHITE at that time [REDACTED] waived preliminary examination and was released on his personal recognizance bond pursuant to further proceedings in this matter in United States District Court. On this same date subject [REDACTED] was taken before Commissioner WHITE for initial appearance. He, too, waived preliminary examination and was released on \$250 bond pending further proceedings in United States District Court.

B7C On November 9, 1961, subjects KAISER [REDACTED] appeared in United States District Court before the Honorable WALTER H. HODGE, United States District Judge. At that time both KAISER [REDACTED] waived prosecution by indictment and entered pleas of guilty to an information filed that date by Assistant United States Attorney JAMES R. CLOUSE, Jr., for the District of Alaska. The information alleged violations of Title 18, United States Code, Section 641, theft of Government property of a value greater than \$100, a felony. Disposition of this matter was deferred until November 24, 1961, pending presentence investigation by the United States Probation Officer.

On November 9, 1961, subject [REDACTED] consented to being handled as a juvenile. Accordingly, an information was filed by Mr. CLOUSE alleging [REDACTED] was a juvenile delinquent under provisions of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 5031 to 5033. On the same date [REDACTED] was found to be a juvenile delinquent and was placed on probation for a period of one year.

On November 13, 1961, subject [REDACTED] appeared in United States District Court before Judge HODGE. [REDACTED] waived prosecution by indictment and entered a plea of guilty to an information filed that date by Mr. CLOUSE charging him with violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 641, theft of Government property of a value in excess of \$100. On the same date [REDACTED] was sentenced to serve one year in custody of the United States Attorney General, sentence to be suspended and [REDACTED] admitted to probation for a period of one year.

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| REPORTING OFFICE ANCHORAGE | OFFICE OF ORIGIN ANCHORAGE | INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 11/24/61 11/22/61 - 11/24/61 |
| TITLE OF CASE CHANGED: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka [REDACTED] | | REPORT MADE BY SA [REDACTED] |
| | | CHARACTER OF CASE THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY |

167C The title of this report is marked "CHANGED" in order to reflect the full middle name of subject KAISER, the correct spelling of the middle name of subject [REDACTED] and to delete the names of the remaining subjects against whom prosecution has been completed and reported or declined.

REFERENCE

Report of Special Agent [REDACTED] dated November 14, 1961, at Anchorage.

ENCLOSURE to Bureau (1)

Probation Flash concerning [REDACTED]

- APPROVED *[Signature]* SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE
- COPIES MADE:
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AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA:

Will follow and report results of sentencing of
subject KAISER in this matter.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

USA, Anchorage, Alaska

Provost Marshal, Fort Richardson, Alaska

Provost Marshal, USARL, Fort Richardson, Alaska

Special Agent in Charge
November 24, 1961

Office ANCHORAGE

Field Office File No. 52-1475

Bureau File No. 52-76526

Title EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character: THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

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[redacted] sentenced in U.S. District Court, Anchorage, Alaska, 12/24/60, to one year custody. U.S. Attorney General's sentence suspended and [redacted] placed on probation for one year. Sentencing of subject KAISER deferred until 12/1/61. AUSA JAMES R. CLOUSE, JR., Anchorage, declined prosecution as to [redacted]

DETAILS: AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA:

Assistant United States Attorney JAMES R. CLOUSE, JR., for the District of Alaska, advised on November 22, 1961, that sentencing of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., originally scheduled for November 24, 1961, would be deferred until December 1, 1961.

Mr. CLOUSE further advised that he declines prosecution in this matter with respect to subjects [redacted] inasmuch as investigation and [redacted] of the other subjects do not involve them in this matter to a degree for prosecutive action.

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On November 24, 1961, [REDACTED] appeared in United States District Court, before the Honorable WALTER H. HODGE, United States District Judge. At that time [REDACTED] was sentenced to serve one year in custody of the United States Attorney General, which sentence was suspended and [REDACTED] was placed on probation for the period of one year.

The following Identification Record for subject EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., was received from the FBI Identification Division under FBI No. 243 334 B, on November 20, 1961:

| Contributor of Fingerprints | Name and Number | Arrested or Received | Charge | Disposition |
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| Marines | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. #1248798 | enlisted 2-13-52 | | |
| St Hwy Pat Lee's Summit Mo | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. #A-4251-B | 8-18-52 | burg & larc | rel to Ill Auth |
| USCG | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. #Z-1039500 | | | |
| FD Los Angeles Calif | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #219884 | 11-18-53 | susp narc not (felony) | |
| | | 12-21-53 | 29023 Health Safety Code | |
| FD Los Angeles Calif | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #B-300812 | 1-11-54 | pos of hypnotic drugs | |
| Stol Hartford Conn | EDWIN B. KAISER #SE | applicant FR | | |
| | | 1-5-55 | | |
| FD Norwalk Conn | EDWIN B. KAISER #9751 | 4-27-55 | larc Carriage | |
| St of Cheshire Conn | EDWIN B. KAISER #CR7656 | 1-31-56 | Aggravated Conn Pe able | |

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| US Marine | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. #1248798 | 2-13-52 FP | | |
| AR | EDWIN B. KAISER #1 855651 | alien reg 10-2-59 | | |
| Anchorage Fed Jail Anchorage Alaska | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. #8359 | 9-23-60 | A with a dangerous weapon | 18 mos 5-2-61 |
| SPol Juneau Alaska | EDWIN B. KAISER JR. #-- | 9-22-60 | aslt w/ | |
| Fed Corr Inst Lompoc Calif | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #2011-LC | 5-24-61 | aslt w/ deadly weapon Sec 65-4-22 ACIA 1949 (Alaska State Prisoner) | 18 mos 10-2-61 exp |
| Fed Corr Inst Lompoc Calif | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #2011-LC | 6-29-61 | ADM Sec 65-4-22 ACIA 1949 | 6 mos (1 yr) prob to cell |
| Anchorage Federal Jail Anchorage Alaska | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #9600 | 11-3-61 | theft of Govt prop | |
| USM Anchorage Alaska | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #4967 | 11-3-61 | theft of Govt prop | |

The following Identification Record for subject [REDACTED] was received from the FBI Identification Division on November 22, 1961.

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Director, FBI (52-72516)

EDWIN H. KAISER, aka - FUGITIVE

ET AL.

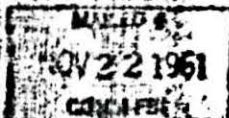
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Reurairtel captioned "Edwin H. Kaiser, aka - Fugitive, Et Al., TGP," disclosing the arrest of subject [REDACTED]

Your attention is directed to FBI Handbook, Part I, Page 43, which sets forth that the name of each subject in a fugitive status should be carried in the title of correspondence first reporting the subject is a fugitive, and in all subsequent communications up to and including the report disclosing the subject's apprehension. Score error.

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| TITLE OF CASE EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA ET AL | | INVESTIGATING PERIOD 12/1/61 |
| REPORT MADE BY SA [REDACTED] | | CHARACTER OF CASE TGP |

REFERENCE

Report of SA [REDACTED] dated 11/24/61, at Anchorage.

ENCLOSURES

TO THE BUREAU

Three copies of a Parole report concerning subject
EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Disposition Sheet concerning subject **KAISER**.

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APPROVED: [REDACTED]
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1 - USA, Anchorage
1 - Provost Marshal, Fort Richardson
1 - Provost Marshal, USARAL, Fort Richardson

SA [REDACTED]
DECEMBER 7, 1961

Field Office File No. 52-1475

Re: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.;
ET AL

Character: WENT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Synopsis: Subject EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. sentenced in USDC, Anchorage, Alaska, 12/1/61, to serve 18 months in custody USA.

DETAILS: AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

Subject EDWIN BENJ. IN KAISER, JR. appeared in United States District Court before the Honorable WALTER H. FODGE, United States District Judge, on December 1, 1961. At that time KAISER was sentenced to serve 18 months in custody of the United States Attorney General.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

CASE ORIGINATED BY: ANCHORAGE

FILE NO.: AN 52-1115

REPORT MADE AT: ANCHORAGE
DATE WHEN MADE: 12/7/61
REPORT MADE BY: SA [REDACTED]

CO-OPERATE WITH BUREAU: [REDACTED]
EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., also known as Ted Kaiser

THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY
PAROLE REPORT

I. OUTLINE OF THE OFFENSE

On February 20, 1961, a U. S. Army five-ton dump truck, being operated on winter maneuvers, was involved in an accident and overturned at Mile 78, Glenn Highway, Alaska. Due to the extreme cold and hazardous weather conditions at the time, the truck was left for a period of approximately two weeks before the Army was able to arrange for its recovery from the ravine in which it came to rest.

During this period, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. and three accomplices removed a number of essential and valuable parts from the truck and stole them. During the subsequent investigation, some of the parts were recovered intact; others have never been recovered.

KAISER appeared in U. S. District Court, Anchorage, Alaska, before the Honorable WALLER H. HODGE, U. S. District Judge, on November 9, 1961, at which time he waived prosecution by indictment and entered a plea of guilty to an Information filed that date by Assistant U. S. Attorney JAMES R. CLOUSE, for the District of Alaska. The Information charged KAISER with the violation of Title 18, U. S. Code, Section 641, Theft of Government Property of a value exceeding \$100.

On December 1, 1961, KAISER appeared before Judge GODDARD in Anchorage, at which time KAISER was sentenced to serve 18 months in custody of the U. S. Attorney General.

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II. AGGRAVATING OR MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES

During the investigation of this matter, information was developed disclosing that KAISER was the instigator of the stripping of the Army truck in this matter, leading three young men with no prior criminal records to the commission of a criminal act.

There are no known mitigating circumstances.

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Memorandum

SAC, ANCHORAGE (12-11) -C-

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka., ETAL

TO: Anchorage

OK

Enclosed herewith for the Anchorage office is a copy of a letterhead memorandum concerning subject, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Subsequent to the hearing of subject KAISER before the U.S. District Court, Anchorage, Alaska, on 12-1-51, as reflected in referenced report, KAISER petitioned the court for reduction of sentence. On 12-11-51, he was granted a hearing by U.S. District Judge HODGE. At that time Judge HODGE suspended the balance of the 15-month sentence imposed on KAISER on 12-1-51 and admitted KAISER to probation for the balance of the 15-month period.

The enclosure is being sent in order that the Identification Division's file on KAISER may be amended in accordance with the above action.

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To: SACs, Miami (Enclosure)
New Haven (Enclosure)

From: Director, FBI

ED KAISER
NEUTRALITY MATTER
(NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION)

Enclosed for recipients are single copies of CIA letter dated 7/22/69.

Miami contact Bureau of Customs to determine if Customs is conducting an investigation in this matter and, if so, furnish Bureau any pertinent information developed to date in a form suitable for dissemination.

In the absence of an investigation being conducted by Customs, attempts should be made to fully identify subject to ascertain his current whereabouts and whether he is involved in any activities within the jurisdiction of the FBI.

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SEE NOTE PAGE TWO

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Airtel to SAC, Miami
RE: ED KAISER

NOTE:

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Referred To
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Date: 8/5/69

Transmit the following in _____

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AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)

SUBJECT: ED KAISER
 NEUTRALITY MATTER
 (NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION)

Re Bureau airtel to Miami, dated 7/25/69 *am*

Indices in Miami Office contain no information concerning the subject.

[REDACTED]

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United States Customs, Miami, has no information on any record of the subject.

Miami Office is checking with CIA and local police concerning subject and will keep the Bureau advised.

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- ② - Bureau (RM)
 1 - New Haven (Info) (RM)
 1 - Miami
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Approved: *JR*

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 Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 8/13/69

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, NEW HAVEN (2-60) (RUC)
SUBJECT: ED KAISER
NEUTRALITY MATTER
(NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION)

Re: [REDACTED]

The indices of the New Haven Office contain no information relative to ED KAISER in instant matter. The indices of the New Haven Office regarding investigative matter captioned [REDACTED]

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1 - New Haven
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 9/19/69

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (C)

SUBJECT: ED KAISER
NEUTRALITY MATTER
(NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION)

Re Bureau airtel, 7/25/69, *per*

CIA, Miami advised that office has no record of the subject or any knowledge of this matter.

Credit and criminal checks made with local agencies in the greater Miami area were conducted with negative results concerning the subject.

Inasmuch as there is no further investigation to be conducted by the Miami Office, this case is being closed.

In the event any information is received concerning the subject, the Bureau will be advised.

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1 - New Haven (Info) (2-60) (RM)
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SAC, New Haven (2-60)

10/8/69

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Director, FBI (2-2005)-4

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

ED KAISER
NEUTRALITY MATTER
(NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: 10/27/69

FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (2-60) (P)

SUBJECT: ED KAISER
NEUTRALITY MATTER
(NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION)

Re: Bulet to New Haven, 10/8/69 *ent*

The following investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] in an effort to locate [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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 - 1 - Miami (RM) (info)
 - 2 - New Haven
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At Norwalk, Conn.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (2-60) (RUC)

DATE: 12/12/69

SUBJECT: CHANGED
 EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
 Ed Kaiser,
 Edwin Theodore Keyser,
 Edward Theodore Keyser
 NEUTRALITY MATTER
 (NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION)

Title is marked changed to reflect subject's full name and aliases as obtained from records from [REDACTED] case formerly captioned ED KAISER, NEUTRALITY MATTER (NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION).

Re: Bulet, 10/8/69

Enclosed for the Bureau are 7 copies and for Miami 2 copies of an LHM.

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 1 - New Haven
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SA [REDACTED] SEC.



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Above caption in file [REDACTED] covering enclosure
 and refer to [REDACTED]

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Miami

At Hialeah, Florida

Review [REDACTED] B1

Referred to
CIA



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

510 Trust Company Building
New Haven, Connecticut 06510
December 12, 1969

~~SECRET~~

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., Also
Knows As Ed Kaiser, Edwin Theodore
Keyser, Edward Theodore Keyser
NEUTRALITY MATTER
(NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE SECTION)

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER

~~SECRET~~

[REDACTED]

KAISER is a former member of the French Foreign Legion and is most anxious to organize an American Foreign Legion to fight as mercenaries. KAISER is strongly anti-Communist, and is presently resides in the Miami, Florida area, where he is active in the Free Cuba Movement. Prior to his going to the Miami area, KAISER had lived and worked in Alaska.

[REDACTED] KAISER to be courageous, physically "tough", and a fighter, but a poor organizer.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: 1-14-70

FROM : *Jb* SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

Re New Haven letter to Bureau, 12-12-69 *mr6*

Enclosed for the Bureau are seven copies
of a LHM, dated and captioned as above.

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MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

several
Will follow this matter closely to ascertain
if the subject becomes active in the anti-FIDEL CASTRO
movement.

2-Bureau (Enc. 7) *ax*
1-Miami
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State/CI/Secret Service/RAO-1SD-P
~~Army/Navy/Air Force/DIA/Customs/Coast Guard~~
~~Coordinator of Cuban Affairs, State~~
By P/S For Info
Date 1-22-70 By *V.Hol/kat*

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to

File No. 2-415

Miami, Florida
January 14, 1970

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

[REDACTED]
EDWIN KAISER has been a resident in that apartment house since about November, 1968. He is an American, married to an American woman, and they have two small children.

KAISER appears to be a salesman, comes and goes at different times, is about 38 years old and receives a number of visitors.

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] considers it unusual that an American like KAISER would live in such a large apartment house full of Cuban refugees, none of whom speak English.

On January 8, 1970, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., 805 West 30th Street, Apartment 16, Hialeah, Florida, advised that he is 34 years old. When he was 17 years old, he joined the U. S. Marine Corps and while in basic training, received a bad conduct discharge. A short time thereafter, in about 1954, he joined the French Foreign Legion, serving a five-year enlistment, and in 1959 was honorably discharged. He applied for a U. S. passport at the American Embassy in Paris and was told that he had lost his U. S. citizenship. The Embassy gave KAISER a French immigrant visa, and he returned to the United States in 1960. Later he was re-instated as a U. S. citizen.

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

KAISER said he has been living in Miami for about fourteen months and is employed as a salesman, selling home products to Cuban refugees in Miami.

KAISER said he is interested in fighting against Communism and has formed a small group known as Cubana Unida (CU). He explained that CU is a loose association of a few Cuban friends who are interested in anti-CASTRO propaganda in cartoon form to be used in United States newspapers that are distributed in Latin-America; however, he and his associates do not have the necessary money to have these cartoons published in these newspapers.

KAISER said it was necessary to form a Cuban Government in exile and since the United States Government will not recognize such a government in the United States, he and his friends would like to establish one in some Caribbean or Central American republic. KAISER said he contacted a Haitian exile in New York and proposed such a government in exile be established in Haiti. The Haitian exile in New York sent this proposition to some Haitian exiles in Montreal, Canada. KAISER was later notified that the Haitian exiles were working on a plan to kill President FRANCOIS DUVALIER of Haiti but did not carry it out because FIDEL CASTRO in Cuba has 15,000 Haitian guerrillas trained to take over Haiti in the event DUVALIER is assassinated.

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Referred to CIA

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KAISER reported that there are very few automatic weapons, if any, in the Miami area and any military operation against Cuba would need automatic weapons and a large supply of ammunition. He said that without such equipment, no military operations could be launched against Cuba.

KAISER was advised of the existence of the Federal Registration Act and Neutrality Act. KAISER said he would be careful not to violate these laws.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: FEB 22 1970

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

Re Miami letter, with enclosures, dated 1/14/70.

Enclosed for the Bureau are seven copies of an
LHM, dated and captioned as above.

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Enclosed LHM is being classified "CONFIDENTIAL"
to better protect sources of continuing value.

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MIAMI:

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will follow this matter closely and keep the Bureau
advised.

2 - Bureau (Enc. - 7) (RM)
1 - Miami
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State/Dept Service/RAO/LSO-2
/DIA/Customs/Coast Guard
Coordinator of Cuban Affairs, State
By R/S For Info
Date 2-4-70 By VHN/9078

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Miami, Florida

FEB 20 1970

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 7-115

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

It is noted that on January 8, 1970, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., 805 West 30th Street, Hialeah, Florida, an American citizen, said he formed a small group known as ~~Cubana Unida~~ (CU). This group was interested in anti-FIDEL CASTRO propaganda in cartoon form to be used in the U.S. newspapers distributed in Latin-America.

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

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On February 12, 1970, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., voluntarily contacted the Miami Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and explained that he originally started Cubana Unida about a year previously and his idea was to help Cuban exiles overthrow the present Government of Cuba and to establish a base in the Caribbean from which to attack communism in the other Latin American republics.

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

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KAISER said that [REDACTED] has completely taken over the idea and has relegated KAISER to a few minor and unimportant duties. [REDACTED] said that he had financial backing in the amount of twenty million dollars. Later, he said that to obtain this money he would have to have a letter from an official of the United States Government authorizing him to launch a military invasion of Cuba. [REDACTED] unable to obtain such a letter and now plans to finance the invasion of Cuba by purchasing old Dominican Republic peso notes at 20¢ per peso and selling them for 26¢ per peso.

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KAISER explained that the entire idea of fighting Communists in Cuba has now developed into a tragic comedy. [REDACTED] developed several large-scale military plans which call for large amounts of money to be spent, experienced men to be used and transportation to move the men and their equipment. [REDACTED] does not have any money, men or equipment and no chance to obtain any in the foreseeable future. KAISER advised he no longer considers [REDACTED] capable of implementing such plans and now feels [REDACTED] will not be sponsored by the U.S. Government. KAISER now feels that further participation with [REDACTED] is a waste of time and money.

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

On February 16, 1970, KAISER stated that he [REDACTED] to visit the "Miami Herald", a daily newspaper in Miami, Florida, with circulation in Latin America. They plan to ask the "Miami Herald" to print anti-CASTRO propaganda in cartoon form for CU. CU, in return, would offer the "Miami Herald" the exclusive stories and press rights to CU's military invasion of Cuba.

Set forth below is the FBI Identification Record of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.:

| Contributor of Fingerprints | Name and Number | Arrested or Received | Charge | Disposition |
|-----------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--|--------------------|
| Marines | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #1248798 | enlisted 2-13-52 | | |
| St Hwy Pat Lee's Summit Mo. | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. | 8-18-52 | burg & larc | rel to Ill Auth |
| USCG | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. #Z-1039500 | | | |
| PD Los Angeles Calif | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #219884 | 11-18-53 12-21-53 | susp Narc act (felony) 29023 Health & Safety Code | |
| SO Los Angeles Calif | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #B-300812 | 1-11-54 | poss of Hypnotic drugs | |

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

| Contributor of Fingerprints | Name and Number | Arrested or Received | Charge | Disposition |
|--|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|
| SPol Hartford Conn | EDWIN B. KAISER #SE | applicant FP 1-5-55 | | |
| PD Norwalk Conn | EDWIN B. KAISER, JR. #9751 | 4-27-55 | Larc Carriage | |
| SRef Cheshire Conn | EDWIN B. KAISER #CR7656 | 1-31-56 | aggravated aslt | Conn Ref Inde |
| US Marine | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. #1248798 | 2-13-52 FP 4-3-52 | | |
| AR | EDWIN B. KAISER #I 855651 | alien reg 10-2-59 | | |
| Anchorage Fed Jail Anchorage Alaska | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. #8359 | 9-22-60 | A with a dangerous weapon | 18 mos 5-2-61 |

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

| Contributor of Fingerprints | Name and Number | Arrested or Received | Charge | Disposition |
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| SPol Juneau Alaska | EDWIN B. KAISER, JR.--- | 9-22-60 | aslt w/w | |
| Fed Corr Inst Lompoc Calif | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #2011-LC | 5-24-61 | aslt w/deadly weapon Sec 65-4-22 ACLA 1949 (Alaska State Prisoner) | 18 mos 10-2-61 exp GT |
| Fed Corr Inst. Lompoc Calif | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #2011-LC | 6-29-61 | ADW Sec 65-4-22 ACLA 1949 | 6 mos (1 yr prob t. follow) |
| Anchorage Fed Jail Anchorage Alaska | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #9600 | 11-3-61 | theft of Govt Prop | 12-1-61 18 mos SS&prob. after service of 11 days. |
| USM Anchorage Alaska | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #4967 | 11-3-61 | theft of Govt Prop | 12-1-61 18 mos SS& prob.after service of 11 days |
| PD Norwalk Conn | EDWIN B. KAISER, JR. #9233 | 8-15-63 | BOP (aslt) | |

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RE EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

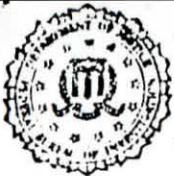
| Contributor of Fingerprints | Name and Number | Arrested or Received | Charge | Disposition |
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| PD Fairbanks Alaska | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #FPC 19566 | 11-4-67 | drk in public | affidavit of rel signed |
| PD Fairbanks Alaska | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER #19566 | 12-2-67 | DC | 5 das |

The following is a description of KAISER as furnished
by the FBI Identification Division:

| | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Race: | White |
| Sex: | Male |
| Height: | 68 inches |
| Weight: | 218 pounds |
| Hair: | Blond |
| Eyes: | Blue |
| Date and place of birth: | February 12, 1935, Norwalk, Connecticut |
| Scars and Marks: | Tattoo Panther upper right arm; 1/2 diag. scar forehead above left eye; 3 inch scar across l/heel; 11 inch scar from l/heel up to l/calf; 1 1/2 inch scar on r/wrist. |
| Address: | (in 1967) 410 Glacier Avenue, Fairbanks, Alaska |
| Occupation: | Truck Driver |

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Miami, Florida

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 2-415

FEB 20 1970

Title EDWIN BENJAMIN EASER, JR.

Character NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

Reference memorandum, dated and captioned as
above, at Miami, Florida.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities
are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable
information in the past.

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (97-5235)

DATE: MAR 25 1970

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (97-515) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
HAITIAN REVOLUTIONARY GROUP,
NEW YORK, NEW YORK.

[REDACTED]

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RA - HAITI

Re Miami letter with enclosures, 12-9-69.

[REDACTED]

One copy of instant LHM is furnished the New York Office for information.

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MIAMI

AT HIALEAH, FLORIDA

Will recontact EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., 305 West 30th Street, Hialeah, concerning any further contact he has had with Haitian exiles.

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1-New York (105-101884) (info) (Enc. 1) (RM)

1-Miami

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

File No. 87-515

Miami, Florida

MAR 25 1970

RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
HAITIAN REVOLUTIONARY GROUP,
NEW YORK, NEW YORK,

[REDACTED] b7D
REGISTRATION ACT - HAITI

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., 805 West 30th Street, Apartment 16, Hialeah, Florida, is a 35 year old mercenary and soldier of fortune whose past activities have resulted in numerous arrests and convictions.

KAISER, who has been interviewed in the past concerning other matters, on February 27, 1970, furnished the following information:

In December, 1969, he met ROBERT (Last Name Unknown), Coral Gables, Florida, who is a Haitian exile. KAISER proposed to ROBERT that KAISER could help free Haiti of the present government if in return the new Government of Haiti would promise to make land bases available to Cuban exiles for military operations against Cuba. ROBERT referred KAISER to [REDACTED] a Haitian exile in New York City, having telephone number [REDACTED] b7C
[REDACTED] ROBERT also contacted [REDACTED] in Canada concerning this proposal.

In December, 1969, a meeting was held in New York City between KAISER and [REDACTED] concerning KAISER's plan. [REDACTED] did not attend but reportedly said that anything [REDACTED] decided would be agreeable with him. [REDACTED] listened to KAISER's plan but did not seem impressed with it and no further action was taken on this matter.

KAISER said he has not initiated any further

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RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
HAITIAN REVOLUTIONARY GROUP,
NEW YORK, NEW YORK,

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contact with Haitian exiles in the Miami or New York City areas since that time but may recontact Haitian exiles in the future.

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Memorandum

DIRECTOR, FBI (97-5235)

DATE: 3/25/70

SAC, MIAMI (97-515) (C)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
HAITIAN REVOLUTIONARY GROUP,
NEW YORK, NEW YORK.[REDACTED] B7D
RA - HAITI

Re Miami letter with enclosures 3/25/70.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 8 copies of a LHM dated and captioned as above.

One copy of enclosed LHM is furnished to the New York Office for information.

Inasmuch as EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., has had no contact with Haitian exiles, no further investigation is being conducted by the Miami Office.

In the event Miami Office in the future develops information concerning Haitian exiles, the Bureau and the New York Office will be advised.

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New York (RM) (105-101884) (Enc. 1) (Info)

Miami

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Miami, Florida
May 23, 1970

RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
HAITIAN REVOLUTIONARY GROUP,
NEW YORK, NEW YORK.

[REDACTED]
REGISTRATION ACT - HAITI

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On May 12, 1970, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.,
805 West 30th Street, Apartment 16, Hialeah, Florida, advised
that he has had no further contact with any Haitian exiles or
anyone involved in Haitian revolutionary matters in the
United States.

KAISER explained that he is presently working with
an independent group of Cuban exiles involved in anti-CASTRO
activities, but that this group and its activities are in no
way related to Haitian revolutionary matters.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: 5/28/70

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

Re Miami letter with enclosures dated February 20, 1970.

Enclosed for the Bureau are seven copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above.

LEAD

MIAMI

At Miami, Florida:

Will follow this matter closely and keep the Bureau advised.

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1 - Miami
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NSA/OSI/ASCI/ISA/Intelligence
by routing slip for info. 9#6
Date 6/1/70 by VUN/BLM

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JUN 10 1970
JUN 17 1970

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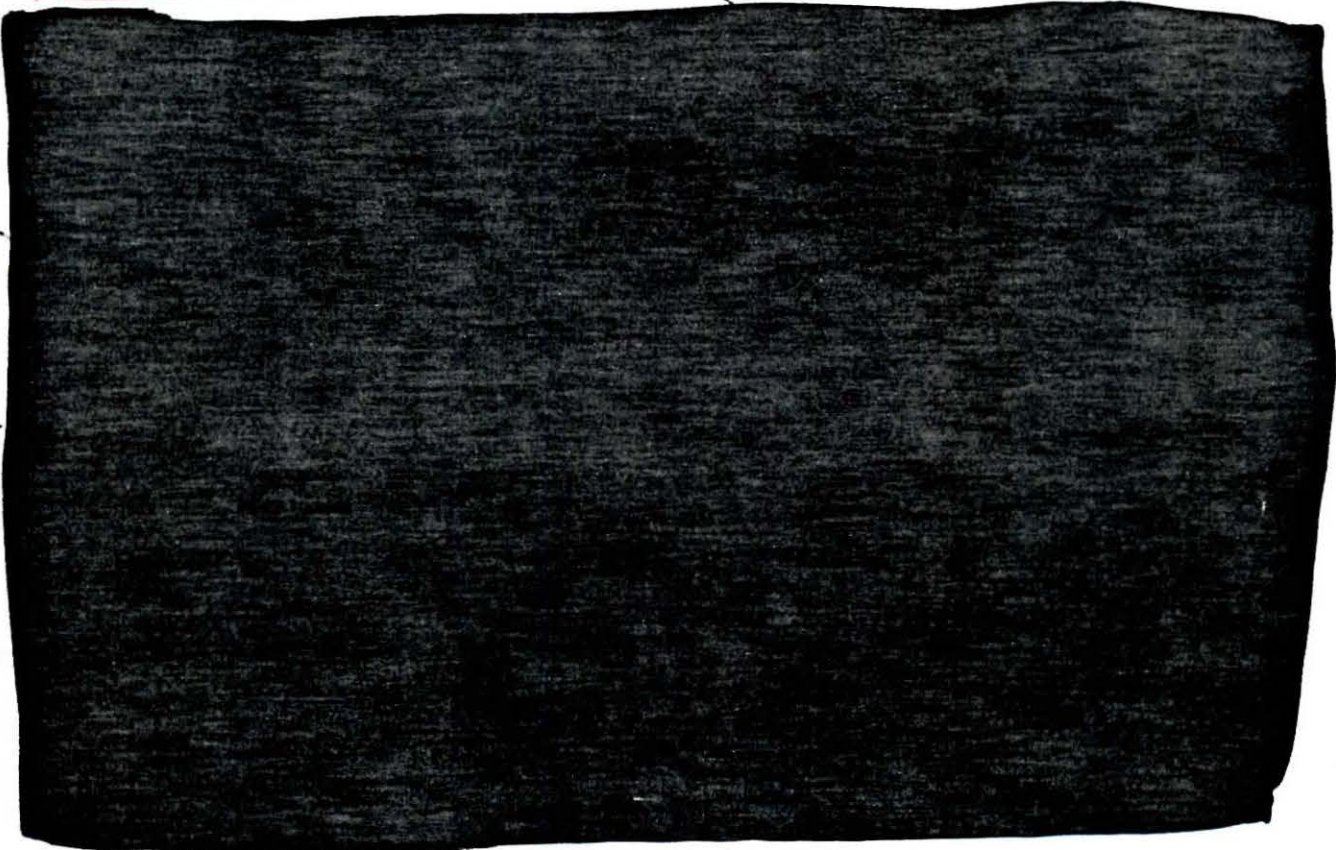
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 2-415

Miami, Florida
May 28, 1970

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

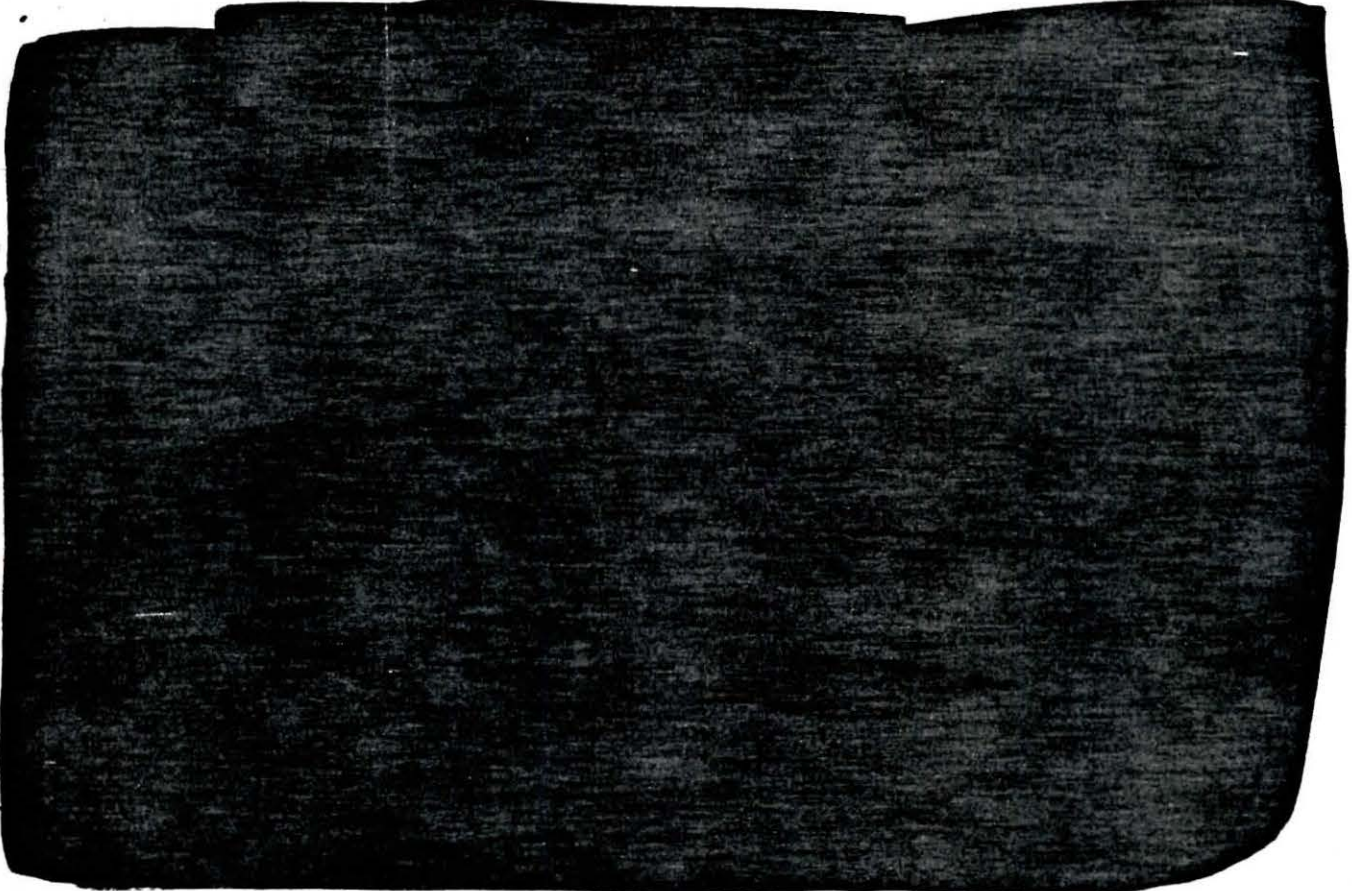
It is noted that on January 8, 1970, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., 805 West 30th Street, Hialeah, Florida, an American citizen, said he formed a small group known as Subanos Unidos (CU). This group was interested in anti-FIDEL CASTRO propaganda in cartoon form to be used in United States newspapers distributed in Latin America.



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ICE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.



[REDACTED] considers KAISER a patriotic American, who is interested in fighting communism and KAISER has donated a considerable amount of time and money to this activity with CU.

On May 15, 1970, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., voluntarily contacted the Miami Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and said he was continuing in his activities with CU. KAISER said he had tried to see

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[REDACTED] but [REDACTED] refused to meet with him.

KAISER said he recently conferred with [REDACTED] Executive Board of Cuban Representation in Exile, a Cuban exile unity group. KAISER said [REDACTED] signed a unity agreement with CU. B7C

KAISER said he also had conferred with [REDACTED] Junta Revolucionaria Civico Militar, an anti-CASTRO organization, [REDACTED] signed an agreement to join CU.

KAISER said that CU is in the process of recording a military march. This record will be sold in the Cuban exile community in Miami as well as bonds as a way of earning money for CU. KAISER said that on the application for membership [REDACTED] is listed as Treasurer for CU and [REDACTED] has generously donated time and money to this organization.

[REDACTED] CU has two types of printed application forms. One is for organizations and one for individuals.

KAISER said that one of the anti-CASTRO organizations in Miami, Cuban Representation in Exile, has a military training camp about 40 miles West of Miami in the Florida everglades, and has stated that CU may use it at sometime in the future.

KAISER said that CU has considered military missions against Cuba such as sabotage against shore installations and lighthouses and also an armed attack against Russian tanks en route to Cuba.

KAISER said [REDACTED] has offered to pay for a 24 foot boat to be used in these military operations. Accordingly, KAISER ordered a 24 foot boat with two inboard-outboard engines from the Piranha Boat Company, Hiabahn, Florida.

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

This boat will cost about \$8,000 and will be used for military operations against Cuba. KAISER explained that after the boat was ordered it was offered to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] he did not state definitely if he would take the boat. b7c

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From: Director, FBI

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: 8/11/70

FROM : *WLS* SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka-
NM - CUBA

ReMMlet and LHM, 5/28/70 *pur*

Enclosed herewith are 9 copies of a LHM, dated and captioned as above.

Copies of this LHM are being disseminated to the following agencies:

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Coordinator of Cuban Affairs, U. S. State Dept., Miami
CIA, Miami
U. S. Coast Guard, Miami
U. S. Border Patrol, Miami
U. S. Customs, Miami
U. S. Customs, Region II, Miami
INS, Miami
OSI, Patrick AFB, Fla.

U. S. Customs, Miami, has been orally advised.

Miami will follow this matter closely and keep the Bureau advised.

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Coordinator of Cuban Affairs, State

By R/S For Info #6 *WLS*

Date *8/11/70* By *WLS*

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 2-415

Miami, Florida
August 11, 1970

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

Edwin Benjamin Kaiser, Jr., 805 West 30th Street, Hialeah, Florida, is an American citizen with a history of numerous arrests and convictions dating back to 1952. Kaiser is actively engaged with Cubanos Unidos (CU), an anti-Fidel Castro organization in Miami dedicated to the overthrow of the present Cuban Government.

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He stated that the CU presently possesses a .50 caliber machine gun, a .30 caliber machine gun, C-4 explosive, and a quantity of small arms. He added that [REDACTED] plan to participate in a forthcoming CU military operation against Cuba. These persons have previously been active in connection with the operations of Alpha 66, another anti-Castro organization in Miami.

Kaiser advised that CU is considering a three-day infiltration and sabotage mission to Cuba, in which approximately five men will participate, from a base outside the United States. One of the tactics they plan to utilize is to kill a few Cuban Government soldiers, and cut them into little pieces, thus terrifying other Cuban Government soldiers.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: SEP 6 1970

FROM : *W/B* SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
NM - CUBA

Re Miami letter with enclosures, 8-11-70. *enc 10*

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- 1 - U. S. Customs, Miami, Florida
- 1 - INS, Miami, Florida
- 1 - OSI, Patrick Air Force Base, Florida

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Will follow this matter closely and keep the Bureau advised.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
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Miami, Florida

SEP 21 1970

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - CUBA

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., is an American citizen with numerous arrests and convictions dating back to 1952. He is actively engaged in Cuban revolutionary activities with Cubanos Unidos (CU), a Cuban exile anti-FIDEL CASTRO organization in Miami, Florida.

On August 10, 1970, KAISER voluntarily appeared at the Miami office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and stated he continues to be active in CU and is regarded by that organization as an expert in military matters. KAISER said he was unemployed and in a bad financial situation. His wife threatened to divorce him if he did not discontinue his involvement in CU and find gainful employment.

KAISER said sometime in June or July he, along with [REDACTED] visited different television stations in Miami seeking support and publicity for CU. KAISER said that at that time CU was not operating any training camps in or outside the United States, and did not have any specific military missions scheduled for Cuba in the immediate future. 87C

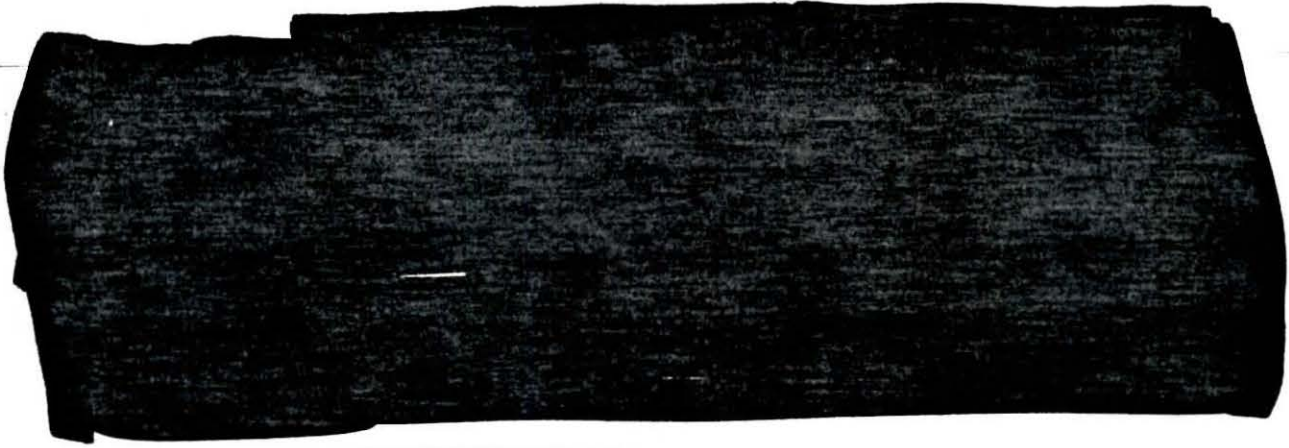
KAISER said that because he was formerly in the French Foreign Legion, he knows a number of former legionnaires in the United States, France, and Corsica who would be willing to participate in a military action against Cuba. KAISER explained that neither he nor CU has tried to recruit these people and did not have any immediate plans to recruit them in the near future.



KAISER claimed that CU has contacts in several Caribbean and Latin-American countries who appear to be

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

willing to furnish land to CU for military training camps. However, these offers are contingent on some indication of approval from the United States Government.



 KAISER is still unemployed, and on September 12, 1970, was evicted from his residence.  did not know at the present time where KAISER was living or if he would be able to find employment.

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TO DIRECTOR

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FROM MIAMI (52-5232) (P)

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Mr. Bishop
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. Felt
Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
Mr. Tele. Room
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., WHO HEADS CU MILITARY SECTION.
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IT IS NOTED CU IS AN ANTI CASTRO UNITY GROUP FORMED
IN JANUARY, SEVENTY, AND IS NOW PRACTICALLY INACTIVE. MOST
OF ITS ACTIVITIES HAVE BEEN IN THE FIELD OF PROPAGANDA.

KAISER IS A THIRTYFIVE YEAR OLD AMERICAN ADVENTURER
WITH A NUMBER OF ARRESTS AND CONVICTIONS, GOING BACK TO
NINETEEN FIFTY TWO. [REDACTED]

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MIAMI WILL MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH CU.

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October 20, 1970

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., 1281 West 29th Street, Hialeah, Florida, was interviewed at the Miami office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation where after having read, understood and signed a Voluntary Appearance, Warning and Waiver of Rights form, he furnished the following information:

About three months ago, he met [REDACTED] on the street in front of the Cubanos Unidos office, 1996 S. W. 1st Street, Miami. [REDACTED] they wanted to obtain arms for a military operation against Cuba.

[REDACTED] KAISER suggested [REDACTED] obtain the arms he wanted from Fort Jackson. [REDACTED] he thought it was a good idea, and he knew of a pasture near Fort Jackson which could be used as a landing strip to pick up these arms.

KAISER told [REDACTED] could supply an airplane to fly these arms outside the United States if [REDACTED] obtain them. KAISER said the arms would eventually be used for military activities against the present Government of Cuba. No further discussions were held about obtaining these arms from Fort Jackson and to his knowledge, no positive action was ever taken [REDACTED] any other persons to obtain these arms.

KAISER said that about two days later, [REDACTED] contacted him and said they were still interested in obtaining arms. They claimed they had money and could buy arms but apparently did not know of any arms dealer who would sell them the equipment. KAISER suggested such arms could be obtained through a contact of his in the Dominican Republic.

On 10-15-70 at Miami, Florida

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KAISER suggested they give him \$1500.00, and he would go to the Dominican Republic and attempt to facilitate such a sale. [REDACTED] declined to do so.

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KAISER said [REDACTED] made no further mention of Fort Jackson, and he presumed they had abandoned the idea. KAISER said he had no intention, then or now, of participating in such a theft of government property and considered the idea too dangerous.

The following description was obtained from personal observation and questioning:

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|-----------------|---|
| Name | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. |
| Race | White |
| Sex | Male |
| Born | February 12, 1935; Connecticut |
| Nationality | United States |
| Height | 5'10" |
| Weight | 180 pounds |
| Hair | Brown |
| Eyes | Grey |
| Complexion | Fair |
| FBI Number | 243 334 B |
| Home Address | 1281 West 29th Street Hialeah, Florida |
| Scars and Marks | Tattoo of panther upper right arm; 1/2" diagonal scar on forehead, above left eye; 3" scar across left heel; 11" scar from left heel up calf; 1 1/2" scar on right wrist. |

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :

DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: 11/18/70

FROM :

SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)

SUBJECT:

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
NEUTRALITY MATTER - CUBA

*place cc in 105-202233
(Cuban Studies)*

Re Miami letter with ^{per 11}enclosures to the
Bureau dated 9/21/70.

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of a Letterhead Memorandum dated and captioned as
above.

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being disseminated locally to the following Federal
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INS, Miami, Florida
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Miami will continue to follow this matter closely and keep the Bureau advised.



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 2-415

Miami, Florida
November 18, 1970

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTER - CUBA

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., is an American citizen with numerous arrests and convictions dating back to 1952. In January, 1970, KAISER said he formed Cubanos Unidos (CU), an association of Cuban exiles, to engage in anti-FIDEL CASTRO propaganda. Later, the organization was taken over by [REDACTED] who changed it into a unity group to consolidate all anti-CASTRO organizations. *EXAMPLE OF CUBANOS UNIDOS* *FLA.* *BK*

On September 15, 1970, KAISER said he had been evicted from his apartment, was temporarily living at 1281 West 29th Street, Hialeah, Florida, Apartment 8, and had telephone number 823-1623. He said he was unemployed, in a bad financial condition, and his wife threatened to divorce him if he did not obtain gainful employment.

KAISER advised that on the previous Saturday, he participated in military training with about 32 other men in the Florida Everglades. The instruction was given by a former United States Army lieutenant and the training was under control of a captain (first name unknown) [REDACTED] a Fort Lauderdale or Hollywood, Florida, National Guard unit. *BK*

KAISER stated that [REDACTED] participated and in a training camp accident, KAISER's hand was severely burned by an explosion. KAISER said that the group being trained belonged to an anti-FIDEL CASTRO CU's exile organization headed by [REDACTED]

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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Miami, Florida
November 18, 1970

Title EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character NEUTRALITY MATTER - CUBA

Reference Memorandum dated and captioned
 as above at Miami, Florida.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

SAC, Miami (105-1742)

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Director, FBI (109-584)

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Attached is copy of Army letter 1/22/71 captioned "National Guard, Florida, Miscellaneous" with two enclosures. Enclosures are dated 1/15/71 and 12/18/70. A copy of the 12/18/70 enclosure was designated for your office.

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Letter to Miami
Re: Anti-Castro Activities
109-584

The foreign Legionnaire referred to in the enclosed material may be identical with Edwin Benjamin Kaiser, Jr., who is the subject of your file 2-415, Bureau file 2-2005. The enclosure to your letter 11/18/70 concerning Kaiser, page 1, indicates that upon interview Kaiser stated he had participated in military training with about thirty-two other men in the Florida Everglades. He claimed that the instruction was given by a former U. S. Army Lieutenant and that the training was under the control of [redacted] who [redacted] This enclosure on page 8 also sets forth information furnished [redacted] Cubanos Unidos, an anti-Castro organization. [redacted] stated that it was being given by [redacted] who reportedly had been members of the U. S. Armed Forces. b7c

Bureau indices contain no additional information concerning [redacted]

Miami determine whether the above-mentioned individuals are actually members of the Florida National Guard. Miami also check indices, logical sources and informants to further identify them and to determine whether they are now involved in the training of Cuban exiles. In view of indication [redacted] inquiries concerning him should be conducted in accordance with Bureau instructions, relating to individuals connected with institutions of learning. Submit results in form suitable for dissemination and include in cover communication your recommendation as to additional investigation.

Letter to Miami
Re: Anti-Castro Activities
109-584

NOTE:

Army also advised local military intelligence group was contacted by Cuban Affairs Division, State Department, Miami, for briefing concerning data in the 12/18/70 enclosure. Army noted that since FBI has cognizance of activities of inactive reserves, including National Guard, it instructed its local military intelligence group to ask our Miami Office to brief Cuban Affairs, Division, Miami. Army asked that results of any Bureau investigative action concerning reserves or National Guard personnel be furnished so that appropriate administrative or judicial actions can be completed. Miami regularly disseminates pertinent Cuban exile activities to Cuban Affairs Division, Miami, and is in regular contact with that office.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-202233)
copy
FROM : SAC, SAN JUAN (105-12631) (P)

DATE: 2/11/71

SUBJECT: CUBANOS UNIDOS
IS - CUBA

place in 2005 (FBI)

Re San Juan letter and LHM captioned as above
and dated 11/30/70.

Enclosed for the Bureau and Miami are one copy
each of Field Operations Support Group (Task Force 157.3)
U. S. Navy Reports 5-705-010-71 and 5-705-011-71, both
dated 1/22/71.

[REDACTED] advised as follows:

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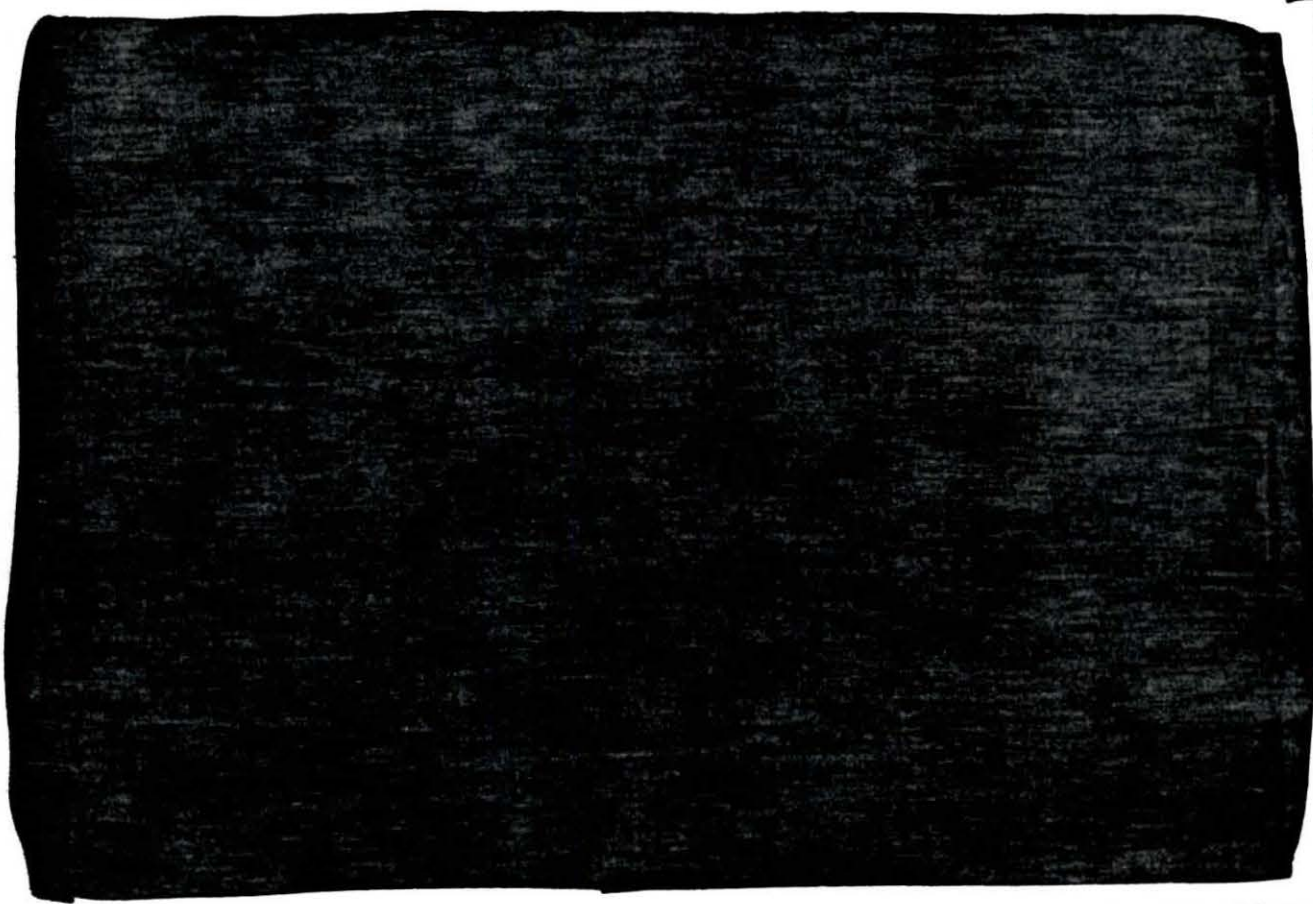
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On 1/27/71, a press conference was held in Room 2505 of the Borinquen Hotel in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Press representatives of the news media and also of the local Cuban Spanish-speaking daily, "Replica," were in attendance. Approximately 13 people representing the news media were on hand. At this meeting, it was stated that the leaders in Puerto Rico of Cubanos Unidos will be ADRIANO DEL VALLE, JORGE CASERO and DANNY FERNANDEZ. All three of the above are unknown to the San Juan Office of the FBI, as either leaders or activists in any Cuban exile organization in Puerto Rico. The aim of the organization, as pointed out in the press conference, was to seek the ouster of FIDEL CASTRO and communism from Cuba and to gain the assistance of the Cuban community in a propaganda drive to affect world opinion against the present Government of Cuba. No mention was made of fund raising or any other monetary-type arrangement with Cuban exiles in Puerto Rico.



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ADMINISTRATIVE:

No LHM was submitted in this matter due to the fact that it is not known what information regarding the above captioned organization has been reported to the Bureau. It is also not readily known whether Cubanos Unidos is in actuality a legitimate Cuban refugee organization, with U. S. backing, or the invention of [REDACTED] The activities of Cubanos Unidos will be watched closely in San Juan, Puerto Rico to determine their membership and activities.

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LEADS:

MIAMI DIVISION

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA. Will make available to the San Juan Division a current investigative report regarding the activities of Cubanos Unidos.

SAN JUAN DIVISION

AT SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO. Will follow the activities of Cubanos Unidos [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005) DATE: 2/25/71

FROM : *N/S* SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
NEUTRALITY MATTER - CUBA

Re Miami letter with enclosures ^{du 12} to Bureau dated 11/18/70.

Enclosed herewith are nine copies of LHM dated and captioned as above.

Informational copies of attached LHM are being furnished to New York and San Juan inasmuch as investigation may be required in those Divisions in the future.

Copies of Enclosed LHM are being disseminated locally to the following Federal Agencies:

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Coordinator of Cuban Affairs, U. S.
State Department, Miami, Florida
CIA, Miami, Florida
U. S. Coast Guard, Miami, Florida
U. S. Border Patrol, Miami, Florida
U. S. Customs, Miami, Florida
INS, Miami, Florida
OSI, Patrick Air Force Base, Florida

Miami will continue to follow this matter closely and keep the Bureau advised.

- ENCLOSURE** *1cc retained in 606-D*
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1 - New York (Enc. -1) (Info) (RM)
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Date: 3/16/71

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Miami, Florida

February 23, 1971

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTER - CUBA

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. is an American citizen with numerous arrests and convictions dating back to 1952. In January, 1970, KAISER said he formed CUBANOS UNIDOS (CU), an association of Cuban exiles to engage in anti-FIDEL CASTRO propaganda. Later, the organization was taken over by [REDACTED] B7C

On December 11, 1970, KAISER advised that he continued to be military chief of CU and that organization had been recently participating in military training activities in Broward County, Florida. KAISER said that CU members, along with other independent Cuban exiles, had received some weekend training in military matters at a training camp, but three weeks previously all training had been suspended. KAISER said that before training was resumed he wanted to obtain complete background and descriptive data concerning each trainee.

KAISER said that he recently attended a meeting at the offices of [REDACTED] B7C

[REDACTED] KAISER said he conferred with a number of Cuban exile militant figures concerning the possibility of launching a military invasion against Cuba.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: 4/16/71

FROM : *W* SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (P)SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
NM - CUBA

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 US Border Patrol, Miami, Florida
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 INS, Miami, Florida
 OSI, Patrick AFB, Florida

Miami will continue to follow this matter closely
and keep the Bureau advised.

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 1 - New York (RM) (Enc. 1) (Info)
 1 - San Juan (RM) (Enc. 1) (Info)
 1 - Miami

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Date 4/23/71 by VHM/imp

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 2-415

Miami, Florida
April 16, 1971

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTER - CUBA

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., is an American citizen with numerous arrests and convictions dating back to 1952. In January 1970 KAISER said he formed Cubanos Unidos (CU), an association of Cuban exiles, to engage in anti-FIDEL CASTRO propaganda. Later, the organization was taken over by Miami

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: JUL 20 1971

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (2-415) (C)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
NM - CUBA

Re Miami letter, with enclosures, 4/16/71^{per 14}.

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OSI, Patrick AFB, Florida

Inasmuch as the subject has been inactive in Cuban Revolutionary matters since about March, 1971, this case is being closed.

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1 - Miami
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~~NIO/OSI/ASINTG~~ DIA/Secret Service

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Date 7-30-71 by VHN/fsw

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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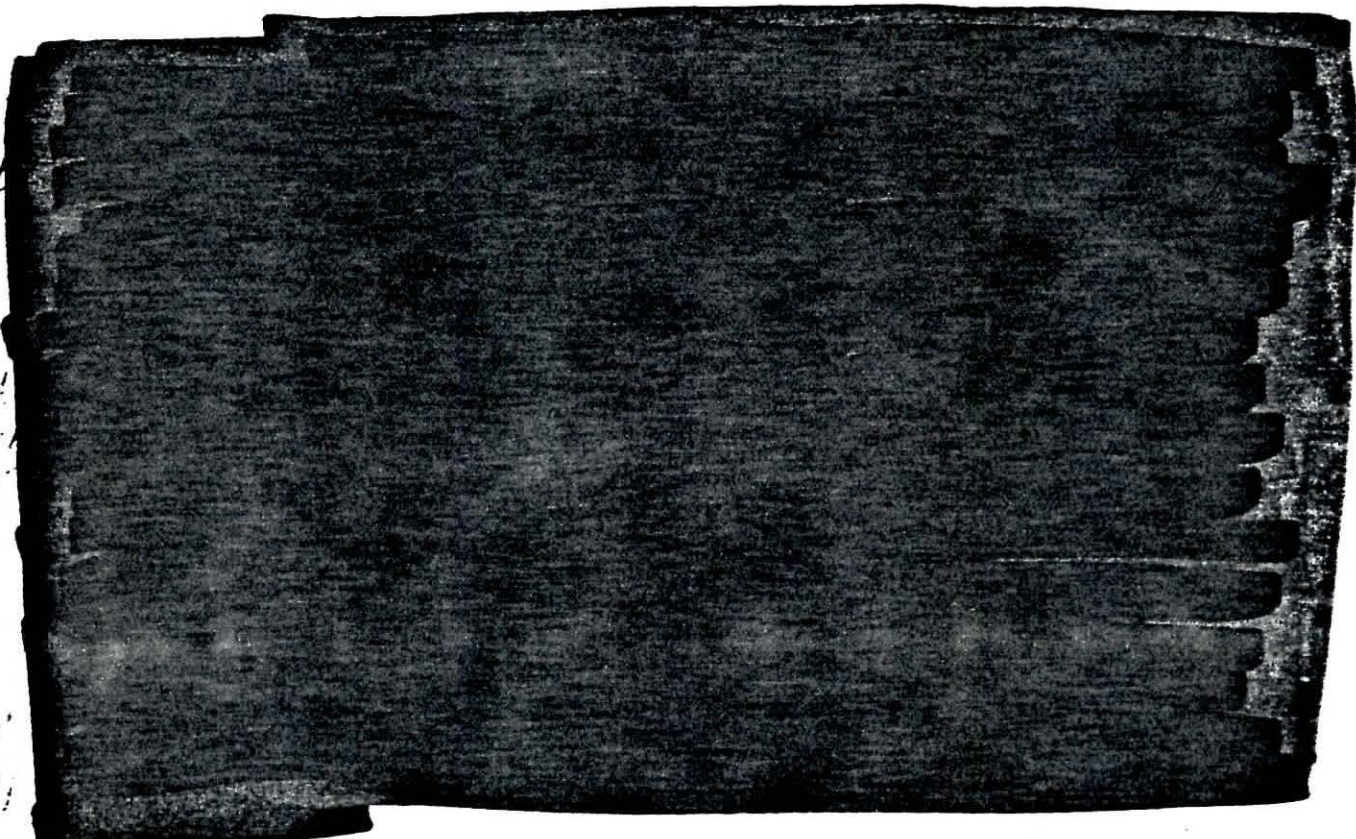
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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 2-415

JUL 20 1971

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
NEUTRALITY MATTER - CUBA

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., is an American citizen with numerous arrests and convictions dating back to 1952. In January, 1970, he became active in Cuban revolutionary matters and continued his association with Cuban exile activists until about March, 1971.



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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

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[REDACTED] KAISER is not known
to be active in Cuban exile, political or military activities.

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1.Date of transcription 9/22/71

[REDACTED]

was interviewed at the U.S. Coast Guard Base, Opa Locka, Florida. [REDACTED] he had been there about a year but did not know KAISER and would check the receipt books for the past year to see if KAISER's name appeared therein.

[REDACTED]

He pointed out that [REDACTED] is the warrant officer in charge of supplies but that he was not there and that [REDACTED] civilian in charge of shipping and receiving, was not there either. [REDACTED] checked with the medical supply area and was advised they did not know KAISER.

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by SA [REDACTED] b7c Date dictated 9/16/71

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[REDACTED] advised
as follows:

Lt. KAISER is a white male, between the ages of 28 and 30, blond hair and balding, between 5'6" and 5'7", and 170 pounds.

KAISER originally was brought [REDACTED] by Warrant Officer [REDACTED] and introduced to [REDACTED]. On the first occasion, KAISER requested and received from [REDACTED] a small amount of pencils, writing paper and other supplies. At that time KAISER was wearing civilian clothes.

On the second occasion, KAISER appeared at the supply room and again requested a small amount of stationery-type equipment. It was given to him and no receipt was signed because it was an expendable amount.

The third time that KAISER came to the shipping and receiving office he was accompanied by another individual who stayed outside in the car. The car was a large white Continental. After KAISER gathered up a large quantity of office supplies, [REDACTED] had him sign a receipt and listed the material which was issued to KAISER. [REDACTED] observed KAISER carrying this material out to the car and, with the aid of the other unidentified person in the car, he placed the material in the trunk. They then got into the car and sat and stared at [REDACTED] who became suspicious and wrote down the license number of this automobile. However, at this time [REDACTED] was unable to find the license number previously written on a piece of cardboard.

[REDACTED] the receipts signed for this expendable type of equipment are retained for about six months and then destroyed. He was able to find the receipt for the last quantity of office supplies given to KAISER. This receipt consists of three pages and each page is signed by

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b. SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 9/24/71

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"Lt. KAISER". [REDACTED] made available this receipt, which is being retained for evidentiary purposes.

[REDACTED] he would not have issued these supplies to KAISER if he had known that KAISER was not in the Armed Forces. He presumed that, when Warrant Officer [REDACTED] took him to the supply room, he was entitled to supplies and he, [REDACTED] would not have issued these supplies to KAISER if he had not represented himself as a lieutenant.

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By letter dated December 30, 1971, the FBI Laboratory, Washington, D. C., advised that the signatures that appeared on the Request for Issue or Turn In Form made available by U. S. Coast Guard at Opa Locka, Florida, were compared with known signatures of KAISER contained in the FBI Identification Records.

The Laboratory concluded that because of the presence of distortion in the signatures on the Request for Issue or Turn In Forms, no conclusion could be reached whether KAISER signed these forms.

Date of transcription November 29, 1971

[REDACTED] advised the following:

[REDACTED] he had been assigned to the Opa Locka Air Station, United States Coast Guard, Miami, Florida, for approximately the past three years.

[REDACTED] advised that the name EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER was unfamiliar to him as there were numerous personnel that appeared at the Supply Office in order to draw equipment. However, [REDACTED] stated that had any individual appeared at his office in an effort to obtain supplies or equipment, they would have had to produce a valid United States Military Identification Card. [REDACTED] stated that this individual was unfamiliar to him, both by description and name. However, [REDACTED] advised that upon viewing a photograph of the subject, he may be able to recall who the individual was and determine if he had ever come to him in an effort to obtain supplies or equipment.

[REDACTED] advised that he did recall Chief Petty Officer [REDACTED] who is currently assigned to the United States Coast Guard Ship [REDACTED] advised that he did recall an incident in approximately July, 1971, in which [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] another friend of his were picked up by Coast Guard Security personnel asleep in a car somewhere on the Opa Locka Base. [REDACTED] advised that he did not know who this individual was, but believed him to be a close friend of [REDACTED] advised that he did not know if this incident was ever written up or if any action was taken on this matter other than to see to it that the other individual, who was a civilian, was placed in a taxicab and was taken to his residence, believed to be somewhere in Hialeah, Florida. [REDACTED] advised he could recall no further details regarding this incident but believed that [REDACTED] would be able to provide full background data.

Interviewed on 11/19/71

by SA [REDACTED]

Date dictated 11/22/71

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[REDACTED] advised that the normal procedure for military individuals requesting supplies would be for them to come to his office, located on the Opa Locka Naval Air Station Base, present a valid identification card, and he would then refer them to an individual who would actually issue the supplies. [REDACTED] again stated that he did not recall this individual by name or description, but could possibly identify him by a photograph. [REDACTED] stated that due to the numerous individuals that would have presented themselves over a period of three years that he was assigned to the Coast Guard Air Station at Opa Locka, he would be unable to recall any exact details of this particular incident.

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[REDACTED] was fully co-operative throughout the interview, and advised he would make every effort to help in this matter but felt the photograph would be the best way for him to identify anyone who would have come to him in an effort to obtain supplies particularly KAISER.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date of transcription 9/30/71

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] about six months ago, a fellow fitting the description of KAISER came into his office and was dressed in a full fatigue Army uniform. This fellow said that he was training men in the Florida Everglades for service in Vietnam and needed medical supplies of the quantity necessary for use by two corpsmen. [REDACTED] made available to this man a quantity of medical supplies that would fill a carton of the dimensions of about 12" by 2' by 2'. These medical supplies were not put into a cardboard box; they were given to this person in a large plastic bag. The equipment consisted of battle dressings, cold remedies, aspirin, Ace bandages, soap, and other expendable equipment.

This person in military uniform might have been wearing the rank of E-6 and said that he belonged to the Non-Commissioned Officers Club at the Coast Guard Air Station and that he was a friend of [REDACTED] who was at that time assigned to the Coast Guard Base, Opa Locka, Florida.

[REDACTED] this person planned to return six weeks later for additional medical supplies, but never did return. Later [REDACTED] after considering the matter, thought he had been deceived by this individual.

[REDACTED] explained that about the time that he issued this medical equipment to this person there was an excess of medical supplies at the air station and a directive had come down advising to get rid of the excess supplies by issuing them to other military units in the Miami area or using them in the clinic in its every day operation.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] said he relied on this individual as being in the U.S. Army or he would not have issued him this U.S. Government property.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 11/2/71

[REDACTED] was interviewed
by Special Agent [REDACTED] and supplied the
following signed statement:

"Miami, Florida
November 2, 1971

[REDACTED] give the following voluntary signed
statement to [REDACTED] Special Agent,
Federal Bureau of Investigation. No threats,
promises or rewards have been offered.

"About seven months ago a fellow came to
the Dispensary Office at the Air Station dressed
in a full fatigue army uniform. This man said
he was training men in the Florida Everglades
for service in Viet Nam and needed medical supplies
of the quantity necessary for use by two corpsmen.

"A quantity of medical supplies that would fill
a carton box of the dimensions of about 1½ feet by
2 feet by 2 feet were given to this person. The
equipment consisted of dressings, cold remedies, band-
ages, soap and other expendable equipment.

"The military uniform he wore might have con-
tained the rank of E-6.

"He said he belonged to the non-commissioned
officers' club at the Coast Guard Station and said
he was a friend of [REDACTED]
at the Coast Guard Air Station.

"This person said he planned to return to the
Dispensary in about six weeks for additional medical
supplies.

11/2/71Opa Locka, FloridaMiami 47-5583

by SA [REDACTED]

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Date dictated

11/2/71

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In addition to the above [REDACTED] described
KAISER as being:

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| Race | White |
| Sex | Male |
| Height | About 5 feet 9 inches |
| Weight | 180 |
| Hair | Light |
| Complexion | Fair |

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"Later thinking about this matter I felt that maybe this individual was not in the U. S. Armed Forces and I had been deceived. I relied on this individual as being in the U. S. Armed Forces or I would not have issued this person U. S. Government property.

"I have been shown a group of photographs of different individuals and have identified one photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER as being identical with the man who withdrew the medical supplies.

"Witness: [REDACTED] SA, FBI".

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Date 11/16/71

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised as follows:

[REDACTED] he was stationed at the Opa Locka Coast Guard Naval Air Station, Opa Locka, Florida, where he was in charge of the Station Dispensary. Sometime between July and November 1, 1970, he met an individual known to him as KAISER, also known as "SARGE" at the Enlisted Men's Club, Opa Locka Coast Guard Station. In subsequent conversation, KAISER advised that he was in the Army presently stationed in Alaska and now on leave in Florida. KAISER explained that he and some of his friends did a lot of hunting at a cabin in the Everglades and needed some first aid supplies in connection with their hunting trip. [REDACTED] he consented to furnish some first aid supplies to KAISER.

About two weeks later, KAISER contacted [REDACTED] at the Station Dispensary. KAISER displayed a U.S. Army identification card in his name with a photograph of himself indicating that he was an E-5. [REDACTED] he also observed several other identification cards in KAISER's possession, which KAISER explained were routine as he was assigned in Army Intelligence. [REDACTED] furnished KAISER with one Snake Bite kit, two or three tourniquets, one box of battle dressings, some tubes of Bacitracin ointment and one box of bandaids. [REDACTED] another corpsman was present at that time whom he identified as [REDACTED] (phonetic), Hospital Corpsman First Class, U.S. Coast Guard.

[REDACTED] he has had no other contact with KAISER other than as set forth above. He furnished the following description of the individual known as KAISER, also known as "SARGE":

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11/12/71 - Baltimore, Maryland File # BA 52-8829

by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 11/15/71

BA 52-8829

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RACE:

White

SEX:

Male

AGE:

30-32

HEIGHT:

5'9" - 5'10"

BUILD:

Stocky

HAIR:

Dark

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The following persons were contacted on December 28, 1971, with negative results. It appears that if a person presents any form of Government credentials or service identification he is permitted to enter the base at the San Juan Naval Station, San Juan, Puerto Rico, and with authorization from either the Officers' Club or the CPO Club, he may use the facilities for a specific time. Of the persons contacted, none knew of the subject and no records were kept as to whether he used the facilities or entered the Navy base.

Security Office

No record on base
obtain, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] advised.

Officers' Club

No record. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Chief Petty Officers'
Club

No record kept. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Enlisted Men's Club

No identification
required. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

About a year ago the subject was drunk, had a gun, and was going to kill MAURICE FERRER, Miami City Commissioner.

The subject was immediately arrested by Miami Police Department and the gun he was in possession of was registered to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The subject gave the police a false name when he was arrested and booked into jail. The case went to court and the subject was subsequently released.

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[REDACTED] he does not
know the whereabouts of KAISER. He felt that KAISER might go
back to Alaska [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] described KAISER as a
"crazy, paranoid and mental individual, who would kill with no
doubt and is a dangerous individual". [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] KAISER had advised
him that he used the name of ED SCHMIDT and he gave
telephone number 305-443-0232, which he advised [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] the person answering the telephone
would be able to advise him of the whereabouts of KAISER at any
time. He impressed [REDACTED] use only the name ED SCHMIDT
and not ED KAISER, when calling this number.
[REDACTED]

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Date of transcription 10/7/711

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] KAISER has a license as an ordinary seaman, made one trip, and was fired. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] KAISER, who claimed he was in the 173rd Airborne Division in Alaska and fought with the French Foreign Legion in Vietnam. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] although KAISER likes to talk and think about military activities and is a liar, thief, disreputable character, and unstable, he has never claimed to be a member of the United States Government or United States Armed Forces.

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Interviewed on 9/30/71 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 52-5383

by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 10/6/71

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 10/7/71

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[REDACTED]

After knowing KAISER a short time, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] soon came to consider KAISER as a liar, unstable, dishonest, scheming and deceitful. It was then believed that he did in no way represent any agency of the United States Government.

[REDACTED] never heard KAISER claim to be in the United States Army or be a member of the United States Government or represent the United States

On 9/30/71 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 52-5383

by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 10/6/71

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Government. [REDACTED] RAISER never wore any military uniform or tried to give the impression he was a member of the United States Armed Forces.

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[REDACTED] had conducted some investigation of KAISER and it appeared that KAISER was then somehow involved in narcotics. [REDACTED] KAISER put \$15,000 down as a deposit on a home, bought a new Eldorado Cadillac for himself and a new Buick automobile for his wife. KAISER was then living at 930 SW 12th Street, Hialeah, Florida. [REDACTED] in June, 1970, KAISER was arrested at 236 NE 1st Avenue for carrying a concealed weapon and on July 10, 1970 was placed on probation for one year.

[REDACTED] KAISER carries a non-commissioned officer's open mess card issued at Fort Richardson, Alaska. This card has the numbers S00040-10-68 and contains the name E. B. KAISER, NPPA, 1100 West 20th Street, Anchorage, Alaska.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED] at Fort Richardson, Alaska on December 15, 1971:

[REDACTED] Criminal Investigations Detachment, advised subject was personally unknown. He advised the files of his office contain no information identifiable with subject. He advised that the roster of military personnel presently assigned to Fort Richardson, Alaska, fails to reveal that subject is currently in the U.S. Army and/or assigned to Fort Richardson. He advised that he contacted the post locator on Fort Richardson and he determined that the files of that office which contain a roster of all U.S. Army personnel in the state of Alaska failed to disclose subject's name. b7c

[REDACTED] advised that the records of the civilian personnel office on Fort Richardson, Alaska, were reviewed and failed to reflect that subject is currently a civilian employee on Fort Richardson. He stated the inactive index cards go back only three years and a review of these index cards failed to indicate that subject in the past three years has ever been a civilian employee on Fort Richardson.

He advised that if subject was ever a civilian employee on Fort Richardson and prior to 1968 that the only records to verify this or determine this would be located at the Federal Records Center in St. Louis, Missouri.

[REDACTED] Non-Commissioned Officers Open Mess, advised subject was personally unknown to him.

He advised that a review of the files in his office as well as the files in the Central Accounting Office on Fort Richardson, Alaska failed to locate any record on subject.

He advised that he has been assigned to Fort Richardson for one and a half years and other personnel in the non-commissioned officers open mess have assigned there for a shorter period of time.

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He stated the Present Membership card is now blue and white in color. The card is all blue excepting a border of white and a white area in the middle of the card where the club member signs his signature. There is no photograph on the membership card. On the current membership card there is a "TEDDY BEAR" on the top right side on the front of the membership card. The membership card reflects the name, rank, social security number of the club member, and a notation as to whether the membership card is a monthly card, a semi-annual card, or an annual card.

He advised that on the membership card at the very top appears Fort Richardson, Alaska in black print. Underneath that appears in handwriting and also black, Non-Commissioned Officers Club. He stated that the word "credit" does not appear anywhere on the current membership card.

He advised that previous club membership cards were gold and white and before that red and white and those two in size were similar to the size of the current J. C. Penney charge plate.

He advised that the membership card is issued to active, qualified members of the U.S. Army, retired non-commissioned officers, and to some civilian guests. The same card is used, but on the card for retired non-commissioned officers there is a small square piece of red tape that is put in the lower left hand corner on the front of the card. The club membership cards given to civilians are the same as issued to military individuals, but the civilian cards have a small square piece of yellow tape pasted on the membership card in the lower left hand corner.

He advised that all membership cards are plastic with raised printing on them.

He advised that the club membership cards can be used for credit purchases, but only in the packaged liquor store in the club or in the dining room. The membership card cannot be used for a credit purchase in the bar

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in the club. He further noted that a monthly expiration card cannot be used for any credit purchases. Credit purchases can only be made with a membership card with an expiration date of semi-annually or annually.

He advised that a Fort Richardson membership card is only good at Fort Richardson, Alaska. He advised that an individual in possession of such a membership card could conceivably use it as identification any place including a military installation elsewhere in Alaska or outside of Alaska. However, he noted that the membership card, particularly of the semi-annual or annual type, could never be used for credit purchases on any military installation other than Fort Richardson, Alaska.

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[REDACTED] was furnished the description of the plastic credit card allegedly in subject's possession. He advised the description of that credit card was not familiar to him in that as far as he knew the word "credit" has never appeared on a membership card to his knowledge. He advised that the number "S00040 10 68" meant nothing to him unless that number might possibly be an Army serial number and or a social security account number. He further stated that "NPPA" meant nothing to him.

He advised that all membership cards in the Fort Richardson Non-Commissioned Officers Open Mess are re-claimed upon the transfer or discharge of military personnel.

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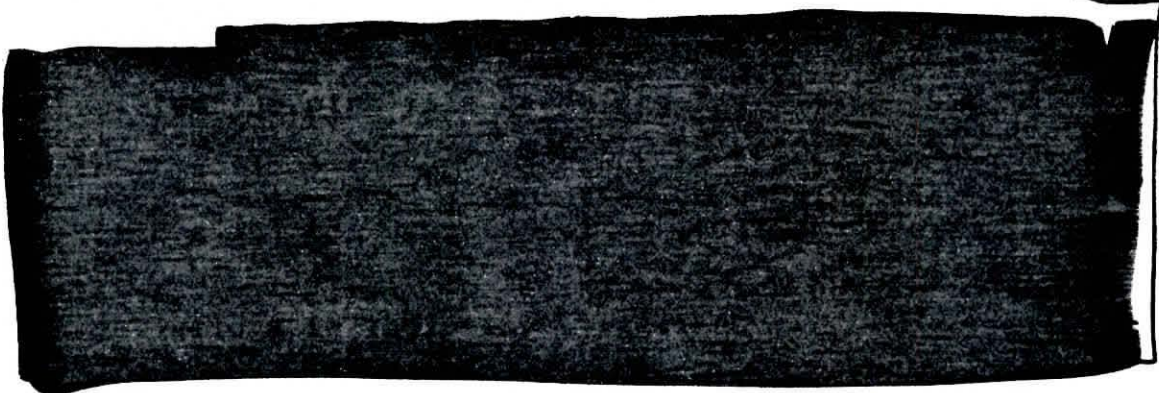
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Referred
To
U.S. Customs

Records of the Central Office of Immigration and Naturalization Service, Washington, D. C., reflect that EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., born at Norwalk, Connecticut, February 12, 1935, in a sworn statement, stated that he went to Martinique, French West Indies, on August 19, 1957, and on August 31, 1957 enlisted in the French Foreign Legion and served in that organization from August 31, 1957 to December 12, 1958.

A Certificate of the Loss of the Nationality of the United States, dated January 29, 1959, was issued concerning KAISER at the U. S. Embassy, Paris, France. KAISER was assigned Alien Registration Number A11832410.

On January 31, 1972, [REDACTED] in charge of Travel Control, INS, Miami, Florida, advised that every alien is required under Title 8, U. S. Code, Section 1306, to file an address report card with INS in January of each year. b7c

On January 31, 1972, [REDACTED] Records Clerk, INS, Miami, Florida, advised that no address report card has been filed by KAISER.

It is noted that KAISER was interviewed on January 8, 1970, by the Miami Office of the FBI in connection with another matter and stated that when he was 17 years old he joined the U. S. Marine Corps and five months later received a bad conduct discharge.

The following is EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.'s Identification Record, as received from the Identification Division, Washington, D. C.:

, is furnished FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY.

SECRET - INVESTIGATIVE LEADS.

J. Edgar Hoover
Director

2 The following FBI record, NUMBER 243 334 B

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| CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS | NAME AND NUMBER | ARRESTED OR RECEIVED | CHARGE | DISPOSITION |
|--|----------------------------------|----------------------|--|--|
| SPol Juneau Alaska | Edwin B. Kaiser Jr #-- | 9-22-60 | aslt w/w | |
| Fed Corr Inst Lompoc Calif | Edwin Benjamin Kaiser #2011-LC | 5-24-61 | aslt w/deadly weapon Sec 65-4-22 ACLA 1949 (Alaska State Prisoner) | 18 mos 10-2-61 ext |
| Fed Corr Inst Lompoc Calif | Edwin Benjamin Kaiser #2011-LC | 6-29-61 | ADW Sec 65-4-22 ACLA 1949 | 6 mos (1 yr prob to fol) |
| Anchorage Fed Jail Anchorage Alaska | Edwin Benjamin Kaiser #9600 | 11-3-61 | theft of Govt Prop | 12-1-61 18 mos Suspended after service of 11 days |
| USM Anchorage Alaska | Edwin Benjamin Kaiser #4967 | 11-3-61 | theft of Govt Prop | 12-1-61 18 mos Suspended after service of 11 days |
| PD Norwalk Conn | Edwin B. Kaiser Jr. #9233 | 8-15-63 | BOP (aslt) | |
| PD Fairbanks Alaska | Edwin Benjamin Kaiser #18886 | 12-2-67 | DC | 5 das |
| PD Hialeah Fla | Edwin Benjamin Kaiser #CID 40526 | 10-14-70 | B/W Lanes | |

Note: Indicated by * ARE NOT IDENTICAL TO THE INDIVIDUALS IN FBI Files. The notations are based on data formerly furnished this Bureau concerning individuals of the same or similar names or aliases and ARE LISTED ONLY AS INVESTIGATIVE LEADS.

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It is noted that KAISER has been periodically interviewed by the Miami Office of the FBI since January, 1970 concerning his involvement in Cuban revolutionary activities. During the original interview on January 8, 1970, KAISER said that he previously enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps and while in basic training received a bad conduct discharge.

SUBJECT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

DATE: 12/7/71

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (47-5583) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
IMPERSONATION; TGP

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Enclosed for the FBI Laboratory is a document of three pages entitled "Request for Issue or Turn In", which contains three samples of the subject's signature as Lt. KAISER.

The U. S. Coast Guard Air Station, Opa Locka, Florida, furnished these documents

It is noted that the subject has FBI Identification No. 243 334 B, and about 20 fingerprint cards from all over the U. S. have been submitted to the Identification Division during the past 19 years concerning the subject.

It is requested the FBI Laboratory compare the three signatures on the enclosed document with the known handwriting signature samples on fingerprint cards in the Identification Division to ascertain if they are identical.

SUBJECT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

"ENCLOSURE ATTACHED"

3 - Bureau (Enc. 3) (RM)
1 - Miami
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: **EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.**
IMPERSONATION; TGP

File # **47-55225-1**
Lab. # **D 711214080 IH**

Examination requested by: **Miami (47-5583)**

L. 12/7/71

Examination requested: **Document**

Date received: **12/13/71**

Result of Examination:

Examination by: **[REDACTED]**

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Specimens submitted for examination

- Q1 Form DD 1150 bearing signature "Lt. Kyser" and beginning with item #1**
- Q2 Form DD 1150 bearing signature "Lt. Kyser" and beginning with item #6**
- Q3 Form DD 1150 bearing signature "Lt. Kyser" and beginning with item #11**

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: **SAC, Miami (47-5583)**

Date: **December 30, 1971**

Re: **EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
IMPERSONATION; TGP**

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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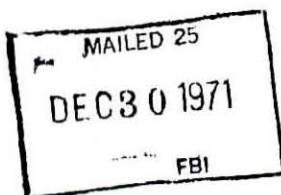
FBI File No. **47-55225 - 1**
Lab. No. **D-711214080 IH**

Examination requested by: **Miami**

Reference: **Letter 12-7-71**

Examination requested: **Document**

Remarks:



Enclosures (5) (Q1 - Q3, 2 Lab report)

Tolson _____
Felt _____
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Miller, E.S. _____
Callahan _____
Casper _____
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Ponder _____
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Holmes _____
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ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

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REPORT
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Miami (47-5583)

Date:

December 30, 1971

FBI File No.

47-55225

Re: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
IMPERSONATION; TGP

Lab. No.

D-711214080 IH

Specimens received

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- Q1 Form DD 1150 bearing signature "Lt. Kyser" and beginning with item #1
- Q2 Form DD 1150 bearing signature "Lt. Kyser" and beginning with item #6
- Q3 Form DD 1150 bearing signature "Lt. Kyser" and beginning with item #11

Result of examination:

Due to the presence of distortion in the questioned signatures on Q1 through Q3 and in the known signatures of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER appearing on his fingerprint cards contained in FBI Identification Record number FBI243334B, a definite conclusion could not be reached whether KAISER prepared the questioned signatures on Q1 through Q3.

Q1 through Q3 have been photographed and are returned to Miami herewith.

Recorded
12/15/71
smr

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
IMPERSONATION; TSP

File # 47-55225-1
Lab. # D 711214080 IH

Examination requested by: Miami (47-5583)

L. 12/7/71

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 12/13/71

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

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*Due to presence of distortion in the sig on 01-25
+ in the sig of Edwin Benjamin Kaiser appearing
on the cards contained in FBI Intention Record
number 100 203 340 B, the sig is by
Kaiser*

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Specimens submitted for examination

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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| REPORTING OFFICE MIAMI | OFFICE OF ORIGIN MIAMI | DATE 2/8/72 | INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 9/10/71 - 1/31/72 |
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| CHARACTER OF CASE <div style="border: 2px solid red; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> IMPERSONATION; ILLEGAL WEARING OF UNIFORM; TGP </div> | | | |

REFERENCES: St. Louis Form SL-17 dated 1/19/72.
 Richmond letter to Miami dated 11/30/71.

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ENCLOSURE

TO RICHMOND

Two photos of subject.

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ST. LOUIS

AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

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Will contact appropriate officials at Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, St. Louis, to obtain name of responsible person to subpoena for production of the subject's military records and to testify that subject is not in U. S. Armed Forces at this time.

RICHMOND

AT CHARLOTTESVILLE, VIRGINIA

Will display enclosed photo of subject to [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] to ascertain
[REDACTED] can identify the subject.

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MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will present this case to U. S. Attorney, Southern District of Florida for a prosecutive opinion.

ADMINISTRATIVE

A copy of enclosed report is being disseminated to Immigration and Naturalization Service, Miami, Florida, inasmuch as subject is an alien.

Inasmuch as time was of the essence and no other Special Agent was available, only one agent was a witness to the two signed statements in enclosed report.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Miami, Florida
1 - Immigration and Naturalization Service, Miami, Florida

Report of: [REDACTED] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: February 8, 1972 87C

Field Office File #: 47-5583 Bureau File #:

Title: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character: IMPERSONATION; ILLEGAL WEARING OF UNIFORM;
THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Synopsis:

[REDACTED] KAISER went to the U. S. Coast Guard Station, Opa Locka, Fla., where KAISER, dressed in a U. S. Army uniform and with military identification, entered the base and withdrew office and medical supplies. 87C 87D

[REDACTED] identified KAISER and made available receipts signed by KAISER. [REDACTED] identified KAISER as person who was in a U. S. Army uniform and who was issued medical supplies. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] KAISER claimed he was in the army, had identification cards and said he was in Army Intelligence. [REDACTED] consented to furnish first aid medical supplies to KAISER. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] KAISER who also entered USAF Base at Homestead, Fla. and USN Base at San Juan, P. R. At these bases KAISER entered with identification papers, acted like a military officer and used military facilities. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] INS records reflect KAISER lost his U. S. Citizenship for serving in the French Foreign Legion. KAISER in Jan., 1970, on interview, advised he previously enlisted in U. S. Marine Corps and while in basic training received a bad conduct discharge. ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 6/14/72

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (92-3381) (C)

SUBJECT: UNSUB; [REDACTED]

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please call 2-2005 (KALISER)

HOBBS ACT;
CRIME ON THE HIGH SEAS - PIRACY

Re Miami airtel and LHM dated 6/5/72 and Miami nitel dated 6/6/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above.

[REDACTED]

ENCLOSURE

- ② - Bureau (Enc. 5) (RM)
- 1 - Miami
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2-2005-

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1- Xerox LHM to Criminal Div, 4/11/72, JMK/KCZ

1- CC [Signature]

- 1- Coast Guard
- 1- USSS
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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

92-3381

Miami, Florida

June 14, 1972

RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;

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HOBBS ACT;

CRIME ON THE HIGH SEAS - PIRACY

It was previously reported on June 5, 1972 that a group of unidentified Cubans operating in the Miami area discussed a plot to hijack [redacted] on the high seas.

[redacted]

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In the event additional information of value is developed, your agency will be advised.

Referred
To CIA

ENCLOSURE

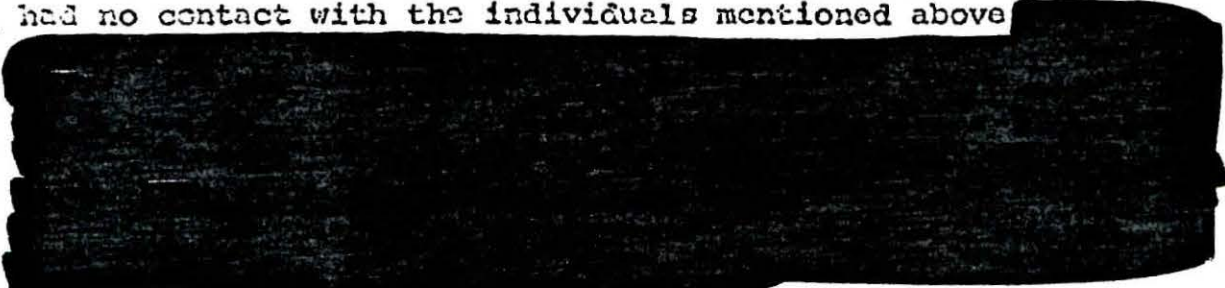
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ENCLOSURE

RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;

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The source was unable to furnish any additional information relative to the individuals set forth above and he has no information whether this alleged plot will ever take place. The source indicated that he had had no contact with the individuals mentioned above



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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (163-954) (P)

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER
FPC
(OO:BUREAU)
(BUDED: 2/16/73)

Two copies of above-mentioned letter are enclosed herewith to the Bureau. Bureau note separate FPC investigation has been opened by the Miami Office concerning [REDACTED]

Also enclosed to the Bureau are the original and one copy of Miami LHM dated 1/24/73, captioned, "EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER", who is apparently identical with EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., FBI Number 243 334B. Enclosed LHM was prepared by SA [REDACTED] and sets forth a summary of information obtained from Miami files, primarily Miami file 2-415 (Bufile 2-2005 captioned, "EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., NEUTRALITY MATTER - CUBA; and Miami file 47-5583)(no Bufile

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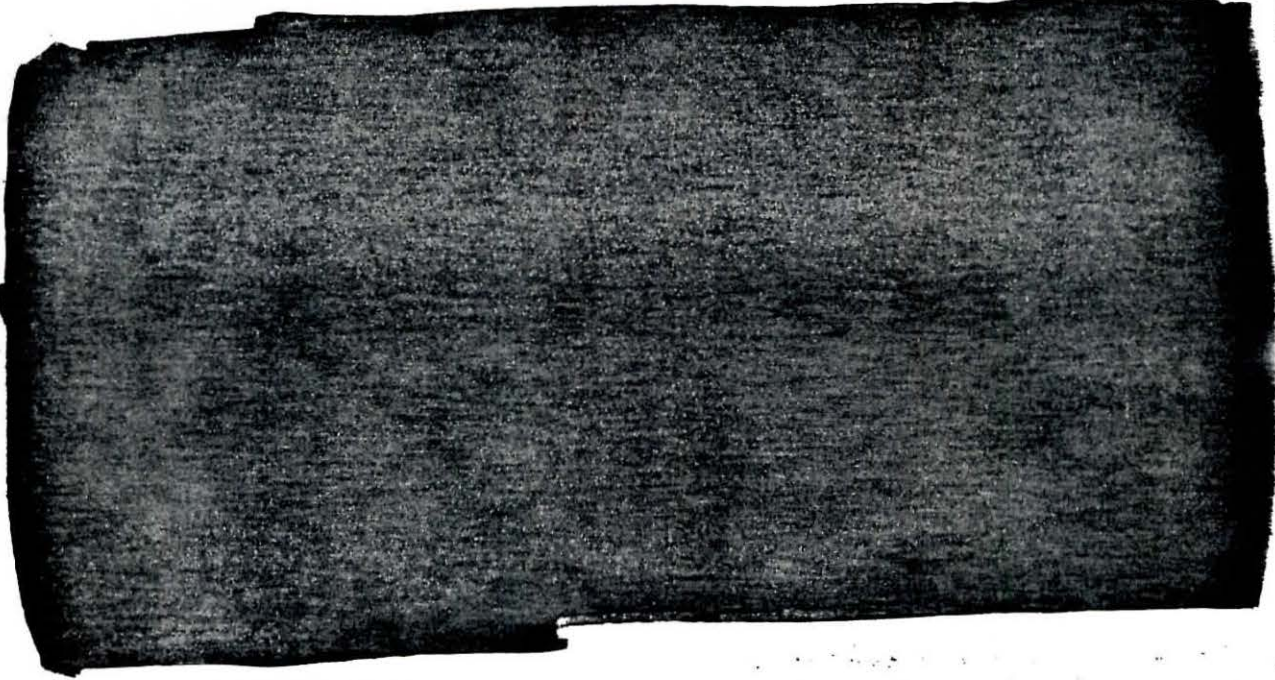
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available), captioned, "EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka, IMPERSONATION, IWU and TGP".



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REQUEST OF BUREAU:

Will furnish to Miami two copies of FBI Identification Record of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., FBI Number 243 334B, date of birth 2/12/35 at Norwalk, Connecticut.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 163-954

Miami, Florida
January 24, 1973

RE EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. was born February 12, 1935 at Norwalk, Connecticut. He has an extensive prior arrest record under FBI number 243 334B which includes arrests since 1952 on numerous criminal charges including burglary and larceny, aggravated assault, assault with a deadly weapon and theft of government property. In 1961 while in Alaska, he was sentenced to serve 18 months on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. In November, 1961, KAISER entered a plea of guilty to a Criminal Information charging violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 641 for theft of government property of a value exceeding \$100 and in December 1961 he was sentenced to a term of 18 months. The latter sentence was subsequently reduced to probation.

During interviews of KAISER by representatives of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), he claimed that he served in the French Foreign Legion from 1957 to 1959, when he was honorably discharged. As a result of this military service, he lost his United States' citizenship. KAISER enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in 1952 but while in basic training he was given a Bad Conduct Discharge.

Investigation was made of KAISER by the FBI in 1969-70, when KAISER assisted in the formation and was active in an organization known as Cubana Unida (CU),

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER

allegedly formed for the purpose of engaging in anti-CASTRO propaganda. Acquaintances referred to KAISER as a world adventurer and a soldier of fortune.

During the past four years, KAISER has lived at various addresses in Hialeah, Florida; was residing at Apartment 16, 805 West 30th Street, Hialeah when contacted by a representative of the FBI in January, 1970 and reportedly still resides at this address.

KAISER has been the subject of a criminal-type investigation by the FBI, Miami, Florida, since late 1971. Earlier in 1971, KAISER allegedly wore the uniform of the United States Army and used fraudulent military identification to enter the premises of the United States Coast Guard Station, Opa Locka, Florida, where he fraudulently obtained office and medical supplies. KAISER is reported to have entered the premises of other United States military bases, at Homestead, Florida, and San Juan, Puerto Rico, where he allegedly represented himself as a military officer and used military facilities. Investigation of this matter is continuing and to date no Federal criminal charges against KAISER have been initiated.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : *W* SAC, MIAMI (163-954) (RUC)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER
FPC
OO:Bureau

DATE: 2/27/73

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Re Miami letter to Bureau 1/24/73.

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In the absence of specific requests for additional investigation, this matter is considered RUC.

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| REPORTING OFFICE MIAMI | OFFICE OF ORIGIN MIAMI | DATE 4/16/73 | INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 3/7/72-4/6/73 |
| TITLE OF CASE EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka | | REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED] B7C | TYPED BY ggr |
| | | CHARACTER OF CASE IMPERSONATION; ILLEGAL WEARING OF UNIFORM; TGP | |

REFERENCE: Report of SA **[REDACTED]** 2/8/72, Miami.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

AUSA KENNETH G. OERTEL was assigned prosecution of investigative matter from 3/7/72 to 6/28/72. During this period contact was maintained with AUSA OERTEL for prosecutive opinion.

About 6/28/72, case was assigned to AUSA ROBERT C. BYRNE.

Since this date numerous contacts have been made with AUSA BYRNE for the purpose of obtaining his prosecutive opinion.

On 2/21/73, AUSA BYRNE advised he intended to prosecute KAISER and desired to present to Federal Grand Jury but requested reinterview of 2 witnesses. Interviews have been completed and

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furnished to AUSA BYRNE with this report.

AUSA BYRNE has promised early presentation to Federal Grand Jury.

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AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

1. Will follow and report presentation of this case to a Federal Grand Jury.

2. If an indictment is obtained, Miami will send two copies of the indictment to the Bureau as an enclosure to the next report.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to: 1 - USA, Miami (Attn: AUSA ROBERT C. BYRNE)
1 - INS, Miami

Report of: [REDACTED]

Office: MIAMI, FLORIDA

Date: 4/6/73

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Field Office File #:

47-5583

Bureau File #:

Title:

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character:

IMPERSONATION; ILLEGAL WEARING OF UNIFORM;
THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Synopsis:

AUSA BYRNE, SDF, Miami, advised 2/21/73, subject's activities appear to be within purview of Title 18, Section 912, USC - Impersonation [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AUSA BYRNE, SDF, Miami, advised on 3/15/73, intended to present case to FGJ. ARMED AND DANGEROUS

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Date of transcription 3/17/73

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., Federal Bureau of Investigation Number 243-334B.

After viewing the above-described group of photographs, [REDACTED] the photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER very strongly resembled an individual he recalled being at the United States Coast Guard Station, Opa Locka Air Station, Miami, Florida, during the summer of 1971. [REDACTED] KAISER strongly resembled an individual he remembered as representing himself as the United States Army Officer. This individual appeared there numerous times, although he could not recall the exact number, requesting issuance of various office-type supplies. [REDACTED] that this individual pictured here had always presented the valid United States Military Identification Card when receiving supplies. [REDACTED] he believed that the individual usually posed as a United States Army Major, but he was not certain of the exact rank. [REDACTED] he was not certain, but believed this individual also appeared frequently at the Enlisted, Chiefs and Officers Clubs, located on the Opa Locka air Station. [REDACTED] he was of the opinion that KAISER had also made liquor purchases through these various clubs.

Interviewed on 3/15/72

Miami 47-5583

by SA

Date dictated 3/15/72

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[REDACTED] he felt relatively certain that this individual, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, was the same individual that had presented himself in his supply office sometime during the summer of 1971, and obtained supplies and equipment. [REDACTED] he felt other individuals at the Opa Locka Base would probably be able to more positively identify KAISER, but again the photograph of KAISER most strongly resembled the person he remembered. [REDACTED] that he recalled KAISER as having made numerous references to the fact that he was "preparing to retire from the Army", and various other statements which indicated to him that he was an officer in the United States Army.

[REDACTED] he could provide no additional information in this matter. He was completely cooperative throughout the interview.

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Date of transcription 3/8/73

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., who was in a U. S. Army uniform. KAISER, with an identification card, entered the Coast Guard Base, went to the supply office and there withdrew a large quantity of office supplies and medical equipment. [REDACTED] KAISER signed for this equipment and seemed to be well known at the Coast Guard Base [REDACTED]

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Interviewed on 3/8/73 at [REDACTED] File # Miami 47-5583

by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 3/8/73

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[REDACTED] he re-
called EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. withdrawing supplies from
the supply section on three different occasions.

[REDACTED] he could not recall on any of the
three occasions that KAISER was wearing a military uniform.
On the third occasion KAISER was issued office supplies
and signed receipts for this material. KAISER used the
name Lt. KAISER in signing these receipts.

[REDACTED] after the material was issued to
KAISER, he observed KAISER carrying this material to a car,
and with the aid of another person, the material was placed
in the trunk of the vehicle.

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Interviewed on 3/6/73 at Opa-Locka, Florida File # Miami 47-5583

by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 3/6/73

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On February 21, 1973, Assistant U. S. Attorney ROBERT C. BYRNE, Miami, advised he had made a complete review of the investigation of KAISER and believed facts substantiated violation of Title 18, Section 912 - Impersonation.

Mr. BYRNE requested prior to presentation of this matter to a Federal Grand Jury that [REDACTED] of the U. S. Coast Guard [REDACTED] be reinterviewed.

On March 15, 1973, Mr. BYRNE advised that immediately upon receipt of written record of interviews of witnesses [REDACTED] he would present the matter to a Federal Grand Jury.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 8-2-76

FROM : *J. J. J.*
Legat, Rome (105-5244) (RUC)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka.
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REFERENCE: Report of SA **[REDACTED]** dated 4-16-73, at Miami.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Miami, Florida (Attention: Assistant
U. S. Attorney ROBERT C. BYRNE)
1 - Immigration and Naturalization Service, Miami, Florida

Report of: [REDACTED]
Date: August 27, 1973

Office: Miami, Florida

Field Office File #: 47-5583

Bureau File #: 47-55225

Title: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character: IMPERSONATION; ILLEGAL WEARING OF UNIFORM; THEFT OF
GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Synopsis:

On 8/21/73, AUSA ROBERT C. BYRNE authorized prosecution under Title 18, Section 641, USC, dealing with theft of public money or property, value of which is less than \$100. On 8-22-73, complaint filed and warrant issued same date. On 8-23-73, subject surrendered himself, was turned over to U.S. Marshal, and given a Magistrate's hearing. He was released on \$5000 own recognizance bond. On 8-24-73, subject pleaded guilty before U.S. Magistrate PETER R. PALERMO, SDF, who ordered pre-sentence investigation.

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DETAILS:

On August 21, 1973, Assistant U. S. Attorney ROBERT C. BYRNE, Southern District of Florida, Miami, Florida, authorized prosecution under Title 18, Section 641, U. S. Code, which deals with theft of public money or property, the value of which is less than \$100. This statute deals with a misdemeanor and provides for a maximum of one year imprisonment and \$1000 fine.

On August 22, 1973, a complaint was filed by Special Agent [REDACTED] and a warrant was issued the same date by U. S. Magistrate MICHAEL J. OSMAN, Miami, Florida.

On August 23, 1973, the subject surrendered himself to Special Agents [REDACTED] of the Miami office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, where

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he was arrested. Subject signed a waiver of rights form but refused to be interviewed.

On the same date, the subject was turned over to the Office of the U. S. Marshal, Miami, Florida.

On the same date, subject was given a preliminary hearing before U. S. Magistrate PETER R. PALERMO, who released him on a \$5000 own recognizance bond.

On August 24, 1973, subject pleaded guilty before U. S. Magistrate PALERMO to charges of violating Title 18, Section 641, U. S. Code. A pre-sentence investigation was ordered by Magistrate PALERMO.

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Memorandum

TO :

DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 9/11/73

FROM :

SAC, MIAMI (105-21637), (C)

SUBJECT:

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka

Ed Scott,

Ed Casid,

Ed Kaiser

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Title is changed to reflect true name of subject based on contact with original source.

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visited the Miami Office of the FBI and furnished information regarding various Cuban activities reflecting on the internal security of the United States. During the course of this interview, among various photographs exhibited [REDACTED] of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., which [REDACTED] identified as identical to the ED SCOTT, aliases CASEY, CASID and ED KAISER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] had furnished a detailed statement to CIA in early 8/73 regarding these contacts.

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Captioned individual is subject of Miami case,
"EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka, IMPERSONATION, ILLEGAL
WEARING OF UNIFORM, TGP", Bufile 47-55225, Miami file 47-5583.

This matter is currently under investigation at
Miami and his activities are being closely followed as recently
reported in Miami report of SA [REDACTED] in
that matter. KAISER is well-known in the Miami area as a con
man, braggart and opportunist.

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., WAS BORN FEBRUARY 12, 1935.

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DATED JANUARY 14, 1970 (SAME CAPTION); MIAMI LETTER TO BUREAU
CAPTIONED, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, AKA., IS - CUBA, DATED
SEPTEMBER 11, 1973, AND MIAMI REPORT OF SA [REDACTED]
ENTITLED, IMPERSONATION, ILLEGAL WEARING OF UNIFORM, TGP,
SEPTEMBER 25, 1973.

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INDICES CHECK REGARDING [REDACTED] NUMEROUS REFER-
ENCES IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE IDENTITY WITHOUT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

ALTHOUGH IT IS NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME IF SUBJECT WILL
TRAVEL BY COMMERCIAL OR PRIVATE PLANE, MIAMI HAS ALERTED
FAA, CUSTOMS, AND AIRPORT SECURITY.

MIAMI WILL FURNISH PHOTOS OF KAISER BY ROUTING SLIP
TO THE BUREAU FOR DISSEMINATION.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU:

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FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING KIZER, AND WILL
KEEP BUREAU ADVISED.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM MIAMI (125-NEW) (P)

ATTENTION: INFO.

RE MIAMI TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JUNE 22, 1975, AND SCOTT, ED. CASH.

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EDWIN BENJAMIN WILSON, JR., WAS BORN FEBRUARY 12, 1933.

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From: Director, FBI

To: SACs:

To: Legats:

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To: RUEADWW/ ☐ The President ☐ The Vice President ☐ White House Situation Room
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RUEBJGA/ ☐ Department of Transportation
Attn: Director of Security

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Subject (Text begins next page):

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA., ED SCOTT, ED CASID,
ED KAISER.

MAIL ROOM ☐

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~~TO DIRECTOR~~

~~FROM MIAMI (105-NEW) (P) AP~~

~~ATTENTION: INTD.~~

~~EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA., ED SCOTT, ED CASID, ED~~

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., WAS BORN FEBRUARY 12, 1935.

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HE IS A WHITE MALE, BLONDE HAIR, 68 INCHES IN HEIGHT, WITH A "PANTHER" TATTOO ON HIS UPPER RIGHT ARM. HAS EXTENSIVE ARREST RECORD UNDER FBI NUMBER 243.3346 WHICH INCLUDES ARRESTS SINCE 1952 ON NUMEROUS CRIMINAL CHARGES INCLUDING BURGLARY AND LARCENY, AGGRAVATED ASSAULT, ASSAULT WITH A DEADLY WEAPON, AND THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY. IN 1961 WHILE IN ALASKA, HE WAS SENTENCED TO SE^RVE 18 MONTHS ON A CHARGE OF ASSAULT WITH A DEADLY WEAPON. IN NOVEMBER 1961, KAISER ENTERED A PLEA OF GUILTY TO A CRIMINAL INFORMATION CHARGING VIOLATION OF TITLE 18, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 641 FOR THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY OF A VALUE EXCEEDING \$100 AND IN DECEMBER 1961 HE WAS SENTENCED TO A TERM OF 18 MONTHS. THE LATTER SENTENCE WAS SUBSEQUENTLY REDUCED TO PROBATION.

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~~ADMINISTRATIVE~~

~~RE BUREAU AIRTEL TO MIAMI CAPTIONED, ED KAISER, NEUTRALITY~~

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MATTER, DATED JULY 25, 1969, MIAMI LET. WITH ENCLOSURE TO BUREAU
DATED JANUARY 14, 1970 (SAME CAPTION); MIAMI LETTER TO BUREAU
CAPTIONED, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, AKA., IS - CUBA, DATED
SEPTEMBER 11, 1973, AND MIAMI REPORT OF SA [REDACTED] b7c
ENTITLED, IMPERSONATION, ILLEGAL WEARING OF UNIFORM, TGP,
SEPTEMBER 25, 1973.

[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] NUMEROUS REFER-
~~ENCED IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE IDENTITY WITHOUT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION~~

ALTHOUGH IT IS NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME IF SUBJECT WILL
TRAVEL BY COMMERCIAL OR PRIVATE PLANE, MIAMI HAS ALERTED
FAA, CUSTOMS, AND AIRPORT SECURITY.

MIAMI WILL FURNISH PHOTOS OF KAISER BY ROUTING SLIP
TO THE BUREAU FOR DISSEMINATION.

~~REQUEST OF THE BUREAU:~~

[REDACTED]

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MESSAGE RELAY

Transmit in ☐ Plaintext ☒ Code Via Teletype the Attached ☐ Immediate ☒ Urgent ☐ Nitel Message

Date 8/4/75

From: Director, FBI

To: SACs:

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To: Legats:

To: RUEADWW/ ☐ The President ☐ The Vice President ☐ White House Situation Room
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ED SCOTT, ED CASIO, ED KAISER.

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TO SAC MIAMI

AUGUST 5, 1975

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA; NEUTRALITY MATTERS -
MEXICO.

REMMTEL AUGUST 1, 1975.

ON AUGUST 5, 1975, CAPTIONED MATTER WAS DISCUSSED WITH
DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY [REDACTED] INTERNAL SECURITY
SECTION, WHO ADVISED THAT THIS MATTER IS A POTENTIAL NEUTRALITY
MATTER VIOLATION UNDER TITLE 18, U.S.C., SECTION 960 AND
THEREFORE, FBI INVESTIGATION SHOULD BE INSTITUTED IMMEDIATELY.
IN ADDITION, DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY [REDACTED] STATED THAT THE
SUBJECT MAY ALSO BE IN VIOLATION OF TITLE 18, U.S.C., SECTION
922G, WHICH MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A CONVICTED FELON TO SHIP OR
TRANSPORT FIREARMS OR AMMUNITION IN INTERSTATE OR FOREIGN
COMMERCE.

MIAMI IMMEDIATELY INSTITUTE INVESTIGATION IN THIS MATTER
ENCOMPASSING BOTH VIOLATIONS AS SET FORTH IN SECTIONS 74 AND 75
OF THE MANUAL OF INSTRUCTIONS. SUBMIT ALL PERTINENT INFOR-
MATION DEVELOPED BY TELETYPE IN FORM SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION

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TAK:jmr
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TO BE FOLLOWED BY APPROPRIATE REPORT OR LHM CITING ABOVE
DEPARTMENTAL DECISION IN BODY OF INITIAL LHM OR REPORT.

NOTE:



Subject has an extensive arrest record which included arrests since 1952 on numerous criminal charges and was sentenced in 1961 to a term of 18 months imprisonment on the charge of Theft of Government Property which was subsequently reduced to probation. On 8/5/75, SA [REDACTED] discussed this matter with Departmental Attorney [REDACTED] who requested investigation under Title 18, U.S.C., Section 960, (Neutrality Matters) and also under Title 18, U.S.C., Section 922G, which makes it unlawful for a convicted felon to ship or transport firearms or ammunition in interstate or foreign commerce. Miami Office being instructed to institute investigation immediately as set forth above. The Department's decision will be confirmed in writing.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: AUG 19 1975

FROM : *h/pz* SAC, MIAMI (2-145)(P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
Ed Scott,
Ed Casid,
Ed Kaiser
IS - MEXICO

Re Miami teletype, dated 8/1/75.

Enclosed herewith are six copies of an LHM,
dated and captioned as above.

Copies are being disseminated locally to Immigration
and Naturalization Service (INS,) Secret Service and Central
Intelligence Agency.

Copies are being disseminated for INS inasmuch as
the subject lost his citizenship because of previous
military service in the French Foreign Legion.

INFORMANTS

[REDACTED]

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Miami will continue investigation and keep the
Bureau advised.

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- (2) - Bureau (Enc. 6)(RM)
1 - Miami
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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

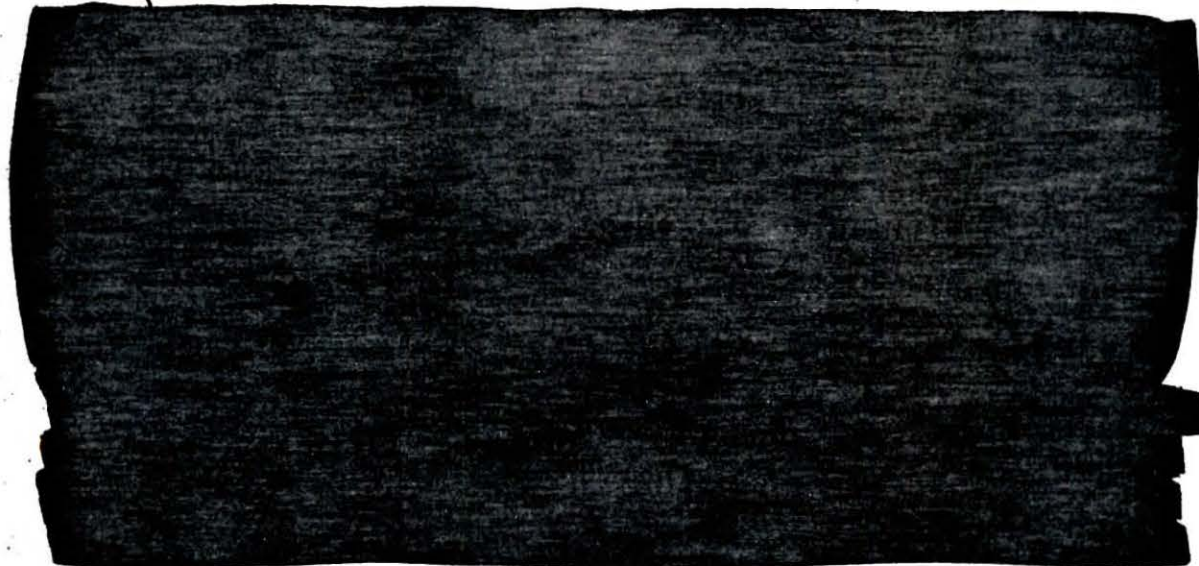
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

2-145

Miami, Florida
AUG 19 1975

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.,
also known as
Ed Scott,
Ed Casid,
Ed Kaiser
INTERNAL SECURITY - MEXICO



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It is noted that EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., was born February 12, 1945, is a white male, 5 feet, 8 inches tall, 190 pounds, blond hair, and has a panther tattooed on his upper right arm. He has an extensive arrest record under Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Number 243 334 B.



EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., 6585 West 8th Lane, Hialeah, Florida, has unpublished telephone number 823-0463.

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RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

[REDACTED] KAISER is in the process of obtaining a divorce and is currently associated with a girl who was formerly a model. KAISER is presently in the scrap metal business, bought a new station wagon automobile and appears to be in a good financial position.

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[REDACTED] KAISER reportedly has another wealthy friend, [REDACTED] who previously maintained an office in the southwest section of Miami. It is not known if [REDACTED] has invested in KAISER's scrap metal business.

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[REDACTED] KAISER in United Cubans, a Cuban exile revolutionary organization, [REDACTED]
The organization is no longer in existence.

[REDACTED] KAISER was convicted in the United States District Court, Miami, for Theft of Government Property, and received a \$500.00 fine and two years probation.

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[REDACTED] KAISER is currently operating a junk metal business in Hialeah Gardens, Florida, seems to be affluent and claims to have a million (\$1,000,000.00) dollars in credit at the First National Bank of Hialeah, Hialeah, Florida.

[REDACTED] KAISER is operating a scrap metal yard in the nearby town of Medley, behind Bob's Parts. KAISER is in the process of obtaining a divorce and is currently associated with a 31-year old American woman, who was formerly a model. KAISER recently bought a 1974 brown El Camino automobile and has several trucks for his scrap metal business.

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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KAISER is also currently associated with a Cuban exile named [REDACTED] who is employed at a hotel in Miami Beach. LEAD CUBA

[REDACTED] KAISER was frequently arrested by local authorities on drunkenness, carrying a concealed weapon, assault and battery, bad checks and other various and assorted fraud charges.

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[REDACTED]

Referred
to CIA
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[REDACTED] KAISER frequently talks in terms of uniting with white Russian refugees for military operations against Cuba and other communist-influenced governments in Latin America. KAISER also sees himself as a political analyst and activist, although he has little education, experience and limited mental ability. KAISER frequently speaks of assassinations, invasions and intelligence operations, although he lacks the knowledge and ability to put such plans in effect.

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

On August 5, 1975, Departmental Attorney [REDACTED] Internal Security Section, United States Department of Justice, advised that this matter is a potential neutrality matter violation under Title 18, United States Code, Section 960 and therefore, FBI investigation was requested. In addition, Department Attorney [REDACTED] stated that the subject may also be in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922G, which makes it unlawful for a convicted felon to ship or transport firearms or ammunition in interstate or foreign commerce. 87C

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
1 - M [REDACTED]

Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division
Attention: Internal Security Section
Director, FBI

August 12, 1975

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA
ED SCOTT, ED KASID, ED KAISER;
NEUTRALITY MATTERS - MEXICO

Reference is made to the teletype from this Bureau dated August 4, 1975, in captioned matter, which sets forth information that the subject is [REDACTED]

In 1961, subject was sentenced to a term of 18 months' imprisonment after being convicted on a Theft of Government Property violation.

This will confirm discussion on August 5, 1975, by SA [REDACTED] with Attorney [REDACTED] of your division who advised that this matter is a potential neutrality matter violation under Title 18, U.S.C., Section 960 and also Title 18, U.S.C., Section 922G, which makes it unlawful for a convicted felon to ship or transport firearms or ammunition in interstate or foreign commerce, and that FBI investigation should be instituted immediately.

Investigation has been instituted.

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Subject has an extensive arrest record which includes arrests since 1952 on numerous criminal charges and was sentenced in 1961 to a term

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Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

NOTE CONTINUED:

of 18 months' imprisonment upon conviction of Theft of Government Property which was subsequently reduced to probation. On 8/5/75, SA [REDACTED] discussed this matter with Departmental Attorney [REDACTED] who requested investigation under Title 18, U.S.C., Section 960 (neutrality matters) and under Title 18, U.S.C., Section 922G, (unlawful for a convicted felon to ship or transport firearms or ammunition in interstate or foreign commerce). By teletype dated 8/5/75 Miami Office was instructed to institute investigation immediately. This letter is being submitted to confirm the Department's decision in writing. b7c

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

AUG 23 1974

TELETYPE

NR 011 MM CODE

10:55PM NITEL AUGUST 23, 1974

TO DIRECTOR (105-267092)

DALLAS (105-5511)

FROM MIAMI (105-22264)

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

INTERNATIONAL LEGION, IS - CUBA, NM - CUBA.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL AUGUST 16, 1974, TO DALLAS, AND
TELEPHONE CALL AUGUST 21, 1974, BY SECURITY SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

DALLAS, TO MIAMI.

[REDACTED]

IT WOULD REQUIRE A SUBPOENA AND
ABOUT THREE MONTHS EFFORT TO OBTAIN THE DESIRED INFO. MIAMI
REGARDS ANY FURTHER EFFORT TO OBTAIN ORIGIN OF THIS CALL.

[REDACTED]

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THEY HAVE NEVER HEARD OF THE INTERNATIONAL LEGION AND HAD
BEEN UNABLE TO DEVELOP ANY INFO. INDICATING THAT "MR. K"
OR ANYONE ELSE IN MIAMI IS RECRUITING AMERICAN EX-SERVICEMEN
FOR TRAINING IN A NICARAGUAN CAMP OR FOR AN OPERATION AGAINST
CUBA.

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INVESTIGATIONS SECTION, US CUSTOMS, MIAMI, ADVISED THEY
POSSESSED NO INFO. CONCERNING EXISTENCE OF INTERNATIONAL
LEGION OR THIS ALLEGED RECRUITING OPERATION. EACH OF THESE
AGENCIES HAS WIDE KNOWLEDGE OF CUBAN REVOLUTIONARY AND EXILE
ACTIVITIES.

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Refer to
CIA

MIAMI IS OF OPINION THAT THIS ALLEGED OPERATION MAY
BE A HOAX SINCE ANY SUCH ORGANIZATION HEADQUARTERED IN MIAMI
WOULD SOON COME TO ATTENTION OF CUBAN EXILE COMMUNITY AND
CREATE GREAT EXCITEMENT. THERE HAVE BEEN SEVERAL SUCH HOAXES
END OF PAGE TWO

n/R- Aug 23-74
from Miami

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PERPETRATED IN THE PAST AND SOME INVOLVING EX-US SERVICEMEN.

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MIAMI WILL LOCATE AND INTERVIEW KAISER AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE.

THIS TELETYPE DESIGNATED ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ TO PROTECT
SOURCES.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: OCT 19 1975

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (2-145) (C)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka.
IS - MEXICO
(OO: Miami)

Re Miami let with enclosure, 8/19/75.

Enclosed herewith are six copies of LHM dated and captioned as above.

Copies are being disseminated locally to INS, Secret Service, and CIA.

A copy is being disseminated locally to INS, inasmuch as subject lost his citizenship because of military service in the French Foreign Legion.

No request is being made for authority to interview the subject. It is noted the subject has been interviewed many times in the past, was convicted by the Miami Office in 1973, is surly, hostile, and uncooperative.

(2) Bureau (Enc. 6) (RM)
(1) - Miami
RJD/neb
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ENCLOSURE

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Miami, Florida

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

MM 2-145

OCT 16 1975

Re: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.
INTERNAL SECURITY - MEXICO

[REDACTED]

and
came to realize KAISER was dishonest, unreliable, a liar,
a coward, and crazy.

[REDACTED] KAISER used to speak of anti-
Communist military operations, but lacked the courage to
participate. If he is presently making such claims, it
is for the purpose of deceit.

[REDACTED]

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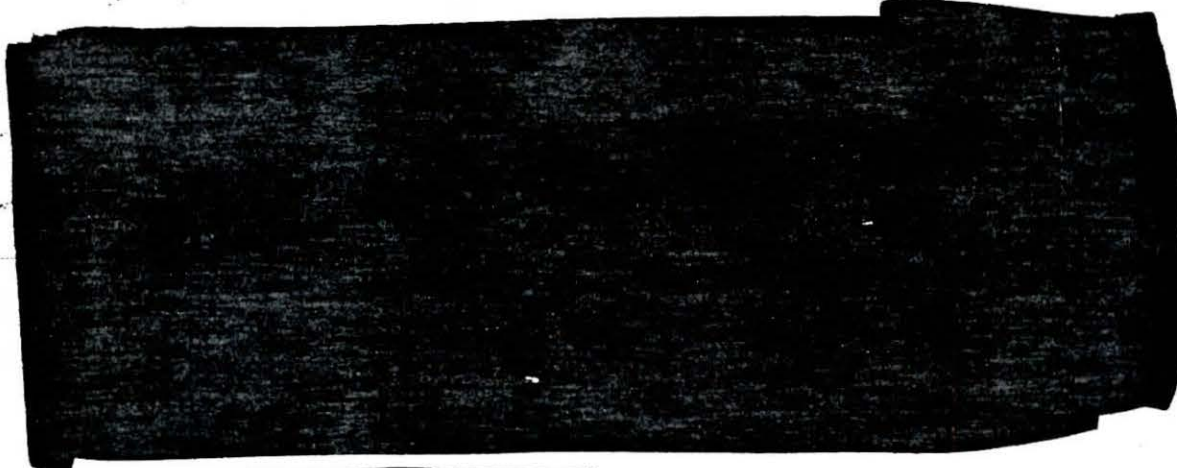
Sources whose identities are concealed
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information in the past except where
otherwise noted.

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Re: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, Jr.



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 KAISER continues to operate a junkyard in Hialeah Gardens, Florida, and has made no mention of any pending military operations, arms transportation, or assassination attempts.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)

DATE: 1/30/76

FROM :

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SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka

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Case is considered RUC.

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

MAR 04 1976

TELETYPE

2:45 PM NITEL 03-04-76 MCM

TO DIRECTOR NR 044-04

FROM LEGAT TEL AVIV (105-1392)

CHANGED:

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JEROME
SCNEIDER, EDWARD ELIAS WEISER [REDACTED] B-1

TITLE MARKED "CHANGED" TO NOTE SUBJECT'S COMPLETE TRUE
NAME AS FURNISHED BY EMBASSY CONSULAR OFFICIAL.

RETELTEL MARCH 3, 1976.

CONSULAR OFFICER, U.S. EMBASSY, TEL AVIV, ADVISED HE
PERSONALLY CONTACTED SUBJECT IN PRISON, HAIFA, AND DETERMINED
FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL DATA:

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SUBJECT'S RESIDENCE ADDRESS IN U.S. GIVEN BY HIM AS 6585
WEST 8TH LANE, HIALEAH, FLORIDA.

BUREAU REQUESTED TO DETERMINE FROM MIAMI OFFICE IF SUBJECT
KNOWN AND, IF SO, BASIS FOR HIS ALLEGED RELATIONSHIP WITH THAT

OFFICE

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CODE

TELETYPE

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EX-108 IV (105-1392)

MARCH 10, 1976

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI REC-65 2-

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA; [REDACTED] B-1

RETELETYPE MARCH 3 AND 4, 1976, CAPTIONED WITH CHARACTER
IS - ME. CHARACTER HAS BEEN CHANGED. [REDACTED]

BUREAU FILES DISCLOSE THAT EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. WAS
BORN FEBRUARY 12, 1935, AT NORWALK, CONNECTICUT. HE HAS AN
EXTENSIVE PRIOR ARREST RECORD UNDER FBI NUMBER 243 334B WHICH
INCLUDES ARRESTS FROM 1952 THROUGH 1975, ON NUMEROUS CRIMINAL
CHARGES INCLUDING BURGLARY AND LARCENY, AGGRAVATED ASSAULT,
ASSAULT WITH A DEADLY WEAPON, THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY,
POSSESSION OF DRUGS, BREACH OF PEACE, DRINKING IN PUBLIC,
RESISTING ARREST WITH VIOLENT ASSAULT AND BATTERY ON POLICE
OFFICER, PASSING WORTHLESS CHECKS, ETC. HIS ARRESTS TOOK
PLACE THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES, FROM ALASKA TO FLORIDA.

RECORDS OF THE IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE
DISCLOSE THAT IN A SWORN STATEMENT KAISER STATED HE ENLISTED
IN THE FRENCH FOREIGN LEGION AND SERVED IN THAT ORGANIZATION
FROM AUGUST 31, 1957, TO DECEMBER 12, 1958. IN AN INTERVIEW

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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TELETYPE UNIT

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BY THE FBI ON JANUARY 8, 1970, KAISER ADVISED HE LOST HIS U. S. CITIZENSHIP AS A RESULT OF THIS FOREIGN MILITARY SERVICE, BUT HIS U. S. CITIZENSHIP WAS LATER RESTORED. HE ALSO STATED HE JOINED THE U. S. MARINE CORPS WHEN HE WAS 17-YEARS-OLD IN 1952 AND FIVE MONTHS LATER RECEIVED A BAD CONDUCT DISCHARGE.

INVESTIGATION OF KAISER WAS CONDUCTED BY THE FBI FROM 1969 THROUGH 1971, CONCERNING A NEUTRALITY MATTER, AS KAISER ASSISTED IN THE FORMATION OF, AND WAS ACTIVE IN AN ORGANIZATION KNOWN AS CUBANA UNIDA, ALLEGEDLY FORMED FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENGAGING IN ANTI-CASTRO PROPAGANDA. ACQUAINTANCES REFERRED TO KAISER AS A WORLD ADVENTURER AND A SOLDIER OF FORTUNE. HE HAS ALSO BEEN DESCRIBED AS DISHONEST, UNRELIABLE, A CON MAN, A FRAUD ARTIST, A LIAR, A BRAGGART, A COWARD, AN OPPORTUNIST, PSYCHOTIC AND CRAZY.

DURING THE PAST SEVERAL YEARS, HE HAS LIVED IN VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN HIALEAH, FLORIDA. IN 1973, HE WAS INVESTIGATED BY THE FBI FOR IMPERSONATION, ILLEGAL WEARING OF UNIFORM, AND THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY. THE FBI INVESTIGATIONS OF SUBJECT IN 1969-71, AND 1973, WERE CONDUCTED BY SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED] MIAMI DIVISION.

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Referred to CIA

[REDACTED]

B-)

INASMUCH AS SUBJECT HAS BEEN ADEQUATELY IDENTIFIED THROUGH
BUREAU FILES, NO LEADS ARE BEING SET OUT TO FBI FIELD OFFICES
OR OTHER AGENCIES.

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END

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PAGE FOUR

NOTE:

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Bureau files verified subject's birth data and supplied background data so that no leads need be set out. This furnishes Legat Tel Aviv with results of Bureau file review.

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Routing Slip
FD-4 (Rev. 3-1-73)

To: ☒ Director

Date 4/22/76

Att.: _____ FILE TEL: 105-1392

Title EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

☐ SAC

☐ ASAC

☐ Supv.

☐ Agent

☐ SE

☐ SC

☐ CC

☐ Steno

☐ Clerk

aka [REDACTED]

RE: TELairtel 4/9/76.

☐ Rotor #: _____

ACTION DESIRED

☐ Acknowledge

☐ Assign _____ Reassign _____

☐ Bring file

☐ Call me

☐ Correct

☐ Decline

☐ Deadline passed

☐ Delinquent

☐ Discontinue

☐ Expedite

☐ File

☐ For information

☐ Handle

☐ Initial & return

☐ Leads need attention

☐ Return with explanation or notation as to action taken.

☐ Open Case

☐ Prepare lead cards

☐ Prepare tickler

☐ Return assignment card

☐ Return file

☐ Search and return

☐ See me

☐ Serial # _____

☐ Post ☐ Recharge ☐ Return

☐ Send to _____

☐ Submit new charge out

☐ Submit report by _____

☐ Type _____

Enclosed is a copy of an American Embassy, Tel Aviv, telegram dated 4/10/76 re subject.
For info.

1 - Bureau (Enc. - 1)

1 - Tel Aviv

HR:mem (2)

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XSACX HAROLD RUBENSTEIN

Office LEGAT, TEL AVIV

GPO: 1973 526 720

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TELETYPE

NR006 MM PLAIN

2:04PM URGENT JULY 8, 1976 JWB

TO DIRECTOR

NEW YORK

WASHINGTON FIELD

FROM MIAMI (40-63) (P)

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA JEROME SCHNEDER, JEROME
SCHNEIDER, PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED
PASSPORT, OO MIAMI

RE BUREAU TELEPHONE CALLS JULY 7, 1976 AND JULY 8, 1976.

FOR INFORMATION OF NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON FIELD, FBIHQ
ADVISED SUBJECT ARRESTED IN TEL AVIV, ISRAEL ON MARCH 2, 1976
FOR ILLEGALLY ENTERING THAT COUNTRY ON FORGED PASSPORT OF
JEROME SCHNEDER. KAISER ALTERED PASSPORT BY REMOVING SCHNEDER'S
PHOTOGRAPH AND REPLACING IT WITH HIS OWN. AMERICAN EMBASSY
TEL AVIV, HAS POUCHED SCHNEIDER PASSPORT AND FORWARDING STATE
DEPARTMENT.

EX-106

REC-71

SCHNEIDER PASSPORT ISSUED IN MIAMI, FLORIDA ON AUGUST 10,

1971. VENUE LIES IN SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA.

KAISER DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, DATE OF BIRTH FEBRUARY 12,

1935, 5'10", WEIGHT 185 POUNDS, BLUE EYES, BROWN HAIR, TATTOO
UPPER RIGHT ARM. ADDITIONAL DATA CONTAINED IN NCIC CCH

JUL 15 1976

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Passport Off-
7/12/76

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UNDER FBI NUMBER 243-334 B. PRIOR ARREST FOR NARCOTICS, B&E,
ASSAULT WITH DANGEROUS WEAPON, TGP.

FBIHQ ADVISED SUBJECT TO BE DEPORTED ISRAEL JULY 9, 1976
ABOARD EL - AL (ISRAEL AIRLINES) FLIGHT 015 ARRIVING JFK AIRPORT
4:05 PM. NO ESCORT. [REDACTED] *Referred*

[REDACTED] STATE DEPARTMENT HAS RELINQUISHED JURISDICTION
TO FBI.

MIAMI PRESENTING MATTER TO UNITED STATES ATTORNEY, SOUTHERN
DISTRICT OF FLORIDA, JULY 8, 1976, FOR ARREST WARRANT ON
VIOLATION OF TITLE 18, U.S. CODE, SECTION 1543, AND WILL ADVISE
NEW YORK.

WASHINGTON FIELD OBTAIN PASSPORT FROM STATE DEPARTMENT AND
SUBMIT TO FBI LABORATORY, ATTENTION PHOTO PARLEY UNIT.

NEW YORK FURNISH LABORATORY ARREST PHOTOGRAPH OF SUBJECT
FOR COMPARISON PURPOSES.

CAUTION SHOULD BE USED IN ARREST OF SUBJECT.

END

RJP FBIHQ CLR

COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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9:05PM NITEL JULY 8, 1976 JGS

TO DIRECTOR

NEW YORK

WASHINGTON FIELD

FROM MIAMI (40-63) (P)

T.C. Poston
EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. AKA. FUGITIVE, PASSPORT AND VISA
MATTERS-FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT, OO: MM.

RE MIAMI TEL 7/8/76.

AUSA REBECCA J. POSTON SDF AUTHORIZED ARREST OF SUBJECT THIS
DATE CHARGING VIOLATION TITLE 18 USC SECTION 1543. BOND
RECOMMENDED \$25,000 SURETY. AUSA POSTON REQUESTED INTERVIEW OF
SUBJECT AT TIME OF ARREST TO DETERMINE VENUE IN CASE.

[REDACTED]

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LEAD. NEW YORK AT JFK AIRPORT. WILL ARREST SUBJECT AS
SET FORTH IN REFERENCED TELETYPE, AND IMMEDIATELY ADVISE MIAMI
SO THAT AUSA POSTON CAN BE ADVISED.

END

FCD FBIHQ

56 JUL 26 1976

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July 12/76
[Signature]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

INSTRUCTIONS - Reverse side

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI
Att: Special Investigative Division

DATE: 7/9/76

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (40-63) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka -
FUGITIVE
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT

- ☒ Initial Submission
☐ Supplements FD-65 dated _____
☐ Photograph not needed

- Indicate following:
☐ Extremist (Black)
☐ Extremist (White)
☐ Rev. Act.
☒ Other Security background
☐ None of these

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|--|--|--------------------------|------|----------------------------|------------------------|---|-----|--------------|--------|
| Caut on | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | MKE | Name | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. | NAM | Sex | SEX | Race | RAC |
| Place of Birth | Norwalk, Connecticut | | | | POB | Birth Date | DOB | Height | HGT |
| | | | | | | 2/12/35 | | 5' 10" | Weight |
| | | | | | | | | 185 | WGT |
| Eye Color | EYE | Hair Color | HAI | FBI No. | FBI | Skin Tone | SKN | | |
| Blu | | Brn | | 243-334 B | | Medium | | | |
| Scars, Marks, Tattoos, etc. | Tattoos upper right arm | | | | | | | | SMT |
| NCIC Fingerprint Classification | FPC | Other Identifying Number | MNU | Social Security # | SOC | | | | |
| 22560913091862TT1311 | | | | 045-15-1538 | | | | | |
| Operator's License Number | OLN | Operator's License State | OLS | Year Expire | OLY | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Offense Charged | OFF Forged and Altered U. S. Passport | | | | | | | | |
| U. S. Code, Title and Section | T18, USC, 1543 | | | | | | | | |
| Warrant Issued By | PETER PALERMO, SDF | | | | on | 7/9/76 | DOW | F. O. File # | OCA |
| | | | | | | | | 40-63 | |
| Date PBV or Bond Default Case Referred to Office | | | | | | | | | |
| Miscellaneous Including Bond Recommended | Prior weapons and assault arrests. Bond to be set by arraigning Magistrate. | | | | MIS | Fingerprint Classification (Henry System) | | | |
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| LICENSE PLATE AND VEHICLE INFORMATION | | | | | | | | | |
| License Plate Number | LIC | State | LIS | Year Expires | LIY | License Plate Type | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Vehicle Identification # | VIN | Year | VYR | Make | VMA | Model | VMO | Style | VST |
| | | | | | | | | | Color |
| | | | | | | | | | VCO |
| Aliases | Jerome Schneider | | | | Additional Identifiers | | | | |
| | EX-116 | | | | 2-2005-31X4 | | | | |
| NCIC # | NIC | | | | 14 JUL 12 1976 | | | | |

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Instructions AUG 16 1976 date

INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED

1. **Caution (MKE)** - Insert "C" in block if caution statement indicated. Basis for caution statement must appear in Miscellaneous block, e.g. armed and dangerous.
2. **Name (NAM)** - Place name in this block. Aliases are not to be entered in this block but are to be placed in Aliases block.
3. **Sex (SEX)** - Sex will be designated by one letter, M (male) or F (female).
4. **Race (RAC)** - Race will be described by one letter, N (Negro), I (Indian), C (Chinese), J (Japanese), O (all other). Mexicans who are not definitely Indian or other of any white should be described as "W".
5. **Place of Birth (POB)** - Indicate city and state or, if foreign born, city and country. Where multiple birthplaces are reported, list verified birthplace or that which appears most logical in this block.
6. **Birth Date (DOB)** - Enter as month, day and year. Where multiple birth dates are reported, enter verified birth date or that which appears most logical in this block. Place other dates of birth in Additional Identifiers block.
7. **Height (HGT)** - Express in feet and inches, e.g., 6' 0". Round off fractions to nearest inch.
8. **Weight (WGT)** - Express in pounds. Omit fractions.
9. **Eye Color (EYE)** - Use appropriate three character symbol.
10. **Hair Color (HAI)** - Use appropriate three character symbol.
11. **Skin Tone (SKN)** - Use appropriate three character symbol.
12. **Scars, Marks, Tattoos, etc. (SMT)** - Place in this block only appropriate NCIC coding for scars, marks, tattoos, birthmarks, deformities, missing body parts and artificial body parts as defined in NCIC Operating Manual. If more than one SMT is to be entered, use Additional Identifiers block for additional appropriately coded items. Use Miscellaneous block to describe all scars, marks, tattoos, etc. which are not defined in the NCIC Operating Manual and to more fully describe SMT's which have been entered in SMT block. For example, an appendectomy scar, not being readily visible, would be described in the Miscellaneous block. A tattoo on right arm, shown as TAT R ARM in block, might be further described in Miscellaneous block as a rose tattoo on inside of lower right arm.
13. **NCIC Fingerprint Classification (FPC)** - Enter NCIC fingerprint classification.
14. **Other Identifying Number (MNU)** - Miscellaneous numbers may be entered with appropriate identifiers (prefixes) as shown below. For first miscellaneous identifying number, use MNU block. When military service number is in fact Social Security Account Number, the number should be entered in both MNU and SOC blocks. Additional identifying numbers are placed in Additional Identifiers block. The identifier (prefix) should precede the number and be separated from the number by use of a hyphen.
 - AF - Air Force Serial Number
 - AR - Alien Registration Number
 - AS - Army Serial Number, National Guard Serial Number or Air National Guard Serial Number (regardless of State)
 - CG - U. S. Coast Guard Serial Number
 - MD - Mariner's Document or Identification Number
 - MC - Marine Corps Serial Number
 - NS - Navy Serial Number
 - PP - Passport Number
 - PS - Port Security Card Number
 - SS - Selective Service Number
 - VA - Veterans Administration Claim Number
15. **Fingerprint classification (Henry System)** - The Henry System fingerprint classification is to be placed in this block, when available. Do not enter in NCIC.
16. **Social Security Number (SOC)** - Place subject's Social Security Account Number in this block.
17. **Operator's License Number** - Place subject's operator's license number in OLN block. Also show licensing state (OLS) and year license expires (OLY).
18. **Warrant Issued By-On-(DOW)** - In Escaped Federal Prisoner cases enter date of escape in DOW block.
19. **Miscellaneous (MIS)** - Enter additional pertinent information in this block. If caution statement used, basis for statement must be set forth as first item in this block.
20. **License Plate and Vehicle Information** - Place information concerning license plate and/or vehicle known to be in the possession of subject in appropriate blocks under License Plate and Vehicle Information heading.
21. **Additional Identifiers** - Enter information concerning additional license plates (number, state, year expires, and where applicable, type); Social Security Numbers; operator's license number, state and year expires; vehicle information (VIN, VYR, VMA, VMO, VST, VCO); MNU's (see list in item 13 above); visible scars, marks, tattoos, etc.; and dates of birth. Clearly identify what data is being set forth; e.g. Social Security # 423-56-3294; Michigan operator's license 234567, expires 1972; DOB's 4/5/32, 5/3/32; etc.
22. **Changes and deletions** should be so indicated in the appropriate blocks.

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NY196

NR036 NY CODE

8:27PM URGENT 7/9/76 LMD

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC,
MIAMI (40-63) OFFICES VIA FBIHQ
FROM: ADIC, NEW YORK (40-NEW)

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. AKA - FUGITIVE; PASSPORT AND VISA
MATTERS-FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT; (OO:MIAMI).

(X) SUBJECT, (EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR,) WHITE MALE,
BORN FEBRUARY 12, 1931, NORWALK, CONNECTICUT, FBI #243 334 B,
APPREHENDED JFKIA, NYC, 4:40 PM, JULY 9, 1976, BY BUREAU
AGENTS WITHOUT INCIDENT (X).

SUBJECT WILL BE ARRAIGNED MCC, NYC, NIGHT OF JULY 9, 1976. TOYUSM
SUBJECT WILL BE ARRAIGNED BEFORE U.S. MAGISTRATE, EDNY, ON
JULY 10, 1976.

SUBJECT DECLINED TO BE INTERVIEWED RE CAPTIONED MATTER.

END.

FOR ANY QUESTIONS/CORRECTIONS PLS CONTACT THE NYO TKS

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cc to [redacted] B7C
EDJ
7/12/76

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NR003 NY PLAIN

110PM NITEL 7-10-76 NRS

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND
SAC, MIAMI (40-63)

FROM: ADIC, NEW YORK (40-NEW) (P)

NY file 7-76
EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. AKA, FUGITIVE; PASSPORT AND VISA
MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT; 00: MM.

RENYTEL, JULY 9, 1976.

SUBJECT APPEARED BEFORE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE SIMON
CHREIN, EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK (EDNY), ON JULY 10, 1976,
FOR REMOVAL HEARING. SUBJECT WAIVED REMOVAL HEARING AND
SIGNED CONSENT TO REMOVAL TO THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
(SDF), AT MIAMI.

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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE CHREIN SET BAIL AT \$25,000 SURETY
BOND AND REMANDED KAISER TO CUSTODY OF UNITED STATES MARSHALL'S
OFFICE, EDNY, FOR REMOVAL TO SDF. MAGISTRATE ORDERED REMOVAL OF
KAISER TO SDF.

END.

24 JUL 21 1976

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Date: 7/14/76

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 Director Sec'y _____

FBI/DOJ

Transmit the following in _____
 (Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL _____
 (Precedence)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI ATTN: SPECIAL PHOTO
 MATTERS UNIT
 FROM: SAC, WFO (40-289) (P)
 SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. AKA FUGITIVE
 PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED
 AND ALTERED PASSPORT
 (OO:MM)

ReMM nitels 7/8,9/76.

Enclosed for FBIHQ is original passport in the
 name of JEROME SCHNEIDER bearing the photograph of EDWIN
 BENJAMIN KAISER. Also enclosed for Miami are two (2)
 photographs of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER.

The enclosed passport was obtained from _____
 Legal Division, Passport Office, Washington, D.C., on
 7/13/76; by SC _____
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For the information of Miami special photographs should
 be forwarded to Special Photograph Matters Unit rather than
 Photo Parley Unit.

ENCLOSURE *SENCED*

- ② - Bureau (Enc.1)
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FBIHQ Special Photograph Matters Unit is requested to compare photograph on enclosed passport with that being forwarded by New York. After comparison have been completed the original passport should be returned to WFO.

New York furnish WFO photo of KAISER at time of his arrest in New York.

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To:

SAC, Washington Field Office (40-289)

2-2005-31X7

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. AKA
FUGITIVE;
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED
AND ALTERED PASSPORT

FBI FILE NO.

~~40-84890~~

LAB. NO.

D-760716017 PN

Re:

YOUR NO.

D70719001PN

OO: Miami

Examination by:

Examination requested by:

Washington Field Office

Reference:

Airtels dated 7/14/76

Examination requested:

Photographic

Specimens received:

7/15/76 + 7/16/76

01 Original passport in the name of JEROME SCHNEIDER
bearing the photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER

2 - MTMT (40-63)

2 NY 40-461

*While some chars in common
were noted between the Q1
photo and the K1 photo, a
def concl could not be reached*

RETURN EVIDENCE

*as to whether they are of the
same ind due to the lack of spec.
ind ident chars.*

Q1 & K1 ret to resp contrib

env Q1 - WFO

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. AKA

FUGITIVE;

LAB. NO.

Re:

PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED
AND ALTERED PASSPORT

D-760716017 PN

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OO: Miami

Examination by:

Examination requested by:

Washington Field Office

Reference:

Airtel dated 7/14/76

Examination requested:

Photographic

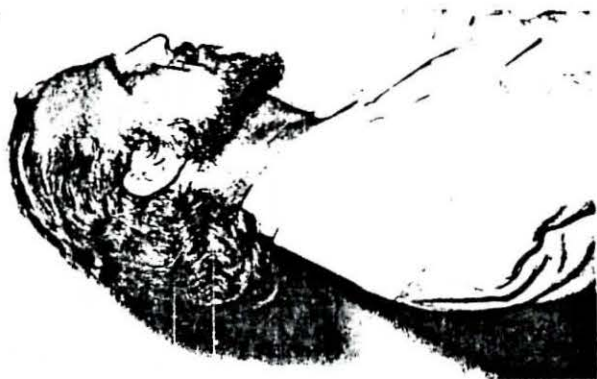
Specimens received:

7/15/76

Q1 Original passport in the name of JEROME SCHNEIDER
bearing the photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER

2 - MIAMI (40-63)

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Date: JUL 14 1976

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(Precedence)TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATTN: FBI LAB,
PHOTO PARLEY UNIT)

FROM: ADIC, NEW YORK (40-461)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. aka
- FUGITIVE
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT
(OO: MM)

ReNYteletype, dated 7/10/76.

As requested in Miami teletype, dated 7/8/76, there are enclosed for the FBI Laboratory Photo Parley Unit, and SAC, Miami, three (3) prints each of the arrest photographs of the subject, which were taken on 7/9/76.

In addition, there are enclosed for Miami the original "Laissez Passer" issued to the subject by the State of Israel; and the original and two xerox copies of Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) Form I-247a (Notice of Detainer) and INS Form I-94 (Arrival - Departure Record) which are self-explanatory and which may be of assistance to INS, Miami, in establishing subject's status.

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- ③ - Bureau (Enc. 3) (RM)
(1 - FBI LABORATORY, PHOTO PARLEY UNIT)
2 - Miami (40-63) (Enc. 10) (RM)
1 - New York

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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It is noted that INS Documents indicate the subject's nationality as Israel/Stateless.

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To: ADIC, New York (40-461)

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. aka
- FUGITIVE;

LAB. NO.,

D-760719001 PN

Re: PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT

YOUR NO.

OO: Miami

Examination by:

Examination requested by:

New York

Reference:

Airtel dated 7/14/76

Examination requested:

Photographic

Specimens received:

7/16/76

K1 Three prints each of the arrest photographs of
EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

2 - MIAMI (40-63)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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| REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK | OFFICE OF ORIGIN MIAMI | DATE 7/15/76 | INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 7/9/76 - 7/15/76 |
| TITLE OF CASE NY TEL 7-9-76 EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. 3 aka Jerome Schneder, Jerome Schneider | | REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED] B7C | TYPED BY tfb |
| | | CHARACTER OF CASE PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT 8-4-76 | |

REFERENCES

NYairtel, dated 7/14/76; NYteletypes, dated 7/9/76 and 7/10/76, and MMnitel and urgent teletype, dated 7/8/76.

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LEADS

NEW YORK

AT BROOKLYN, NEW YORK. Will follow matter with United States Attorney, Eastern District of New York, and advise the Bureau and Miami when subject is removed to Southern District of Florida.

| ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED | | | | | <input type="checkbox"/> NONE | ACQUIT- TALS | CASE HAS BEEN: |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|------|-------|---------|-------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| CONVIC. | PRETRIAL DIVERSION | FUG. | FINES | SAVINGS | RECOVERIES | | |
| | | 1 | | | | | PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |

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SPECIAL AGENT
IN CHARGE

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 - (1 - USA, SDF)
 - (1 - ISN, Miami)
- 1 - USA, EDNY
- 1 - INS, New York City (A11 486 608)
- 1 - New York (40-461)

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1 - UNITED STATES ATTORNEY, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
1 - IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE, MIAMI
1 - UNITED STATES ATTORNEY, EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
1 - IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE, NEW YORK

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Report of:

Date:

JULY 15, 1976

Office: New York, New York

Field Office File #:

40-461

Bureau File #:

Title:

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character:

PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT

Synopsis:

Complaint filed, arrest warrant issued, SDF, charging the subject wilfully and knowingly used, forged and altered a United States Passport in violation of Title 18, USC, Section 1543. Subject arrested John F. Kennedy International Airport, New York City, 7/9/76. Subject waived hearing and signed consent to remove to SDF. Held in custody of USM, SDNY in lieu of \$25,000.00 surety bond. Removal of subject to SDF ordered by US Magistrate, EDNY.

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DETAILS:

On July 9, 1976, United States Magistrate PETE R. PALERMO, Southern District of Florida, at Miami, Florida, issued a warrant of arrest of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, Junior, to answer to a complaint charging him with wilfully and knowingly using, forging and altering a passport which was validly issued by the United States of America, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1543.

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1Date of transcription 7/14/76

On July 9, 1976, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, Jr., was arrested by Special Agents (SAs) of the New York Office (NYO) of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) at John F. Kennedy International Airport (JFKIA). The arrest was made subsequent to KAISER's arrival at JFKIA from Tel Aviv, Israel via El Al Airlines Flight Number 015. After being made aware of the identities of the arresting SAs, KAISER was advised by SA [REDACTED] that he was being charged with violation of Title 18, United States (US) Code, Section 1563, "Forging and Altering a Passport Which Was Validly Issued By the US of America."

After being read the charges against him, SA [REDACTED] then furnished KAISER with a copy of an FD-395, "Interrogation: Advice of Rights" form. KAISER then read the form in its entirety and advised SA [REDACTED] that he had understood what he had read, however, he did not wish to sign the form. bx

KAISER was then transported via Bureau automobile to the JFKIA Resident Agency where he was photographed.

Interviewed on 7/9/76 at Queens, New York File # NY 40-461

by SAs [REDACTED] Date dictated 7/12/76

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date of transcription 7/14/76

On July 9, 1976, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, Jr., was interviewed, while being transported via Bureau automobile to Metropolitan Correctional Center (MCC), New York City (NYC) by Special Agent (SA) [REDACTED] of the New York Office (NYO) of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) following his arrest at John F. Kennedy International Airport (JFKIA) by SAs of the NYO. After having previously been made aware of the identities of the arresting SAs, having already been read the charges against him and also having been advised of certain rights as they appear on an FD-395 "Interrogation: Advice of Rights" form, KAISER consented to be interviewed. KAISER indicated he would not speak to SA [REDACTED] on any of the facts surrounding this case, however, he advised, he would consent to answering some background questions.

The following is background data as furnished by EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, Jr. through observation and interview:

| | |
|-----------------|--|
| Name | EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, Jr. |
| Date of Birth | February 12, 1935 |
| Place of Birth | Norwalk, Connecticut |
| Social Security | |
| Account Number | 045-14-1538 |
| Current Address | 6585 West 8th Lane Hialeah, Florida 33012 |
| Height | Five feet 7 1/2 inches-five feet eight inches |
| Weight | 170 pounds |
| Eyes | Blue |
| Hair | Brown |
| Complexion | Medium |
| Tatoos | Right bicep-a black panther Under side left bicep-one LE |
| Scars | Left hand, six inches Left shoulder, four inches Left leg, 12 inches |
| Facial Hair | Handlebar mustache and beard |
| Marital Status | Divorced |
| Wife | SONIA KAISER |

Interviewed on 7/9/76 at Queens, New York File # NY 40-461

by SA [REDACTED] B7C Date dictated 7/12/76

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Subsequent to interview of KAISER, he was deposited at MCC where he was lodged for the evening of July 9, 1976.

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Before United States Magistrate SIMON CHREIN, Eastern District of New York, on July 10, 1976, KAISER waived removal hearing and signed consent to removal to the Southern District of Florida. United States Magistrate CHREIN set bail at twenty five thousand dollars surety bond; remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal, Eastern District of New York, and ordered the removal of KAISER to Southern District of Florida.

FBI

Date: 7/19/76

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(Precedence)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: ADIC, NEW YORK (40-461) (RUC)

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SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. aka *encl 1*
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND
ALTERED PASSPORT *BT*

Rerep of SA [REDACTED] 7/15/76 at NY.

Enclosed for the Bureau is 3 copies of an LHM,
dated and captioned as above. Enclosed for Miami is 3 copies
of same LHM, which includes a copy for the USA, SDF and
a copy for INS, Miami. One copy of the LHM is being furnished
to the USA, EDNY and one copy to INS, New York.

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2 - Miami (Encls. 3) (RM)
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ELS:bmj 7/27/76*

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Approved: *[Signature]*

Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York

July 19, 1976

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Edwin Benjamin Kaiser, Jr.
Passport and Visa Matters - Forged and
Altered Passport

Reference is made to report of Special Agent [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] dated July 15, 1976 at New York.

On July 19, 1976, [REDACTED] Office of
the United States Marshal, Eastern District of New York,
advised that a representative of the Office of the United
States Marshal, Southern District of Florida, removed the
subject from custody of the United States Marshal, Eastern
District of New York, for transportation to the Southern
District of Florida at Miami on July 16, 1976.

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FROM: ADIC, NEW YORK (40-461)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER aka
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT
(OO:MM)

ReWFOairtel, 7/14/76.

As requested in referenced airtel, there is enclosed
for WFO one (1) arrest photograph of subject which was taken
on 7/9/76.

For the information of WFO, photographs have been
furnished to Bureau and Miami.

EX-101

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2-2005-33

- 1 - 4440 JED
- ② - Bureau (RM)
1 - Miami (40-63) (RM)
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1 - New York

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

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To: SAC, Washington Field Office (40-289)

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August 13, 1976

2-2005-31X8

From: Director, FBI

FBI FILE NO. 40-84890

Re: EDWIN BENJAMIN FALSER JR. AKA
FUGITIVE;
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED
AND ALTERED PASSPORT

EX-106

LAB. NO. D-760716017 PN
D-760719001 PN

OO: Miami

Examination requested by: Washington Field Office and New York

Reference: Washington Field Office Airtel dated 7/14/76 and New York
Airtel dated 7/14/76

Examination requested: Photographic

Remarks:

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Enclosures (3) (01, 2 Lab report)

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (40-289)

August 13, 1976

FBI FILE NO. 40-84890

Re: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. AKA
FUGITIVE;
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED
AND ALTERED PASSPORT

LAB. NO. D-760716017 PN
D-760719001 PN

Specimens received 7/15/76 from SAC, Washington Field Office under cover of communication dated 7/14/76 (D-760716017 PN):

Q1 Original passport in the name of JEROME SCHNEIDER bearing the photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER

Specimen received 7/16/76 from SAC, New York under cover of communication dated 7/14/76 (D-760719001 PN):

K1 Three prints each of the arrest photographs of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Result of examination:

While some characteristics in common were noted between the Q1 photograph contained in the passport and the known photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., K1, a definite conclusion could not be reached as to whether they are the same individual due to the lack of specific individual identifying characteristics.

Q1 and K1 are returned with copies of this report to their respective contributors.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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To: ADIC, New York (40-461)

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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR. aka
- FUGITIVE;
Re: PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT

FBI FILE NO.

40-84890

LAB. NO.

D-760719001 PN

YOUR NO.

OO: Miami

Examination by:

Examination requested by:

New York

Reference:

Airtel dated 7/14/76

Examination requested:

Photographic

Specimens received:

7/16/76

K1 Three prints each of the arrest photographs of
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See D760716017, PN

2 - MIAMI (40-63)

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| REPORTING OFFICE MIAMI | OFFICE OF ORIGIN MIAMI | DATE 8/20/76 | INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 7/7/76 - 8/13/76 |
| TITLE OF CASE EDWIN BERGARD. KAISER, JR., aka.; | | REPORT MADE BY <div style="background-color: black; width: 100px; height: 1.2em; display: inline-block;"></div> B7C | FILED <div style="background-color: black; width: 100px; height: 1.2em; display: inline-block;"></div> B7C |
| | | CHARACTER OF CASE PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT | |

REFERENCE

New York report of SA dated 7/15/76.

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MIAMI:

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will follow prosecution of subject.

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| ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED | | | | | NONE | ACQUIT- TALS | CASE HAS BEEN: |
| CONVIC. | FUGITIVE | FINES | SAVINGS | RECOVERIES | | | |
| <div style="font-size: 2em; font-family: cursive;">J. M. A.</div> | | | | | | PENDING OVER ONE YEAR | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

1-United States Attorney, Miami, Florida (Attention:
Assistant U.S. Attorney DAVID GENESON)
1-Immigration and Naturalization Service (Attention:
[REDACTED])

Report of:

[REDACTED] b7C

Office: Miami, Florida

Date:

August 20, 1976

Field Office File #:

40-63

Bureau File #: 2-2005

Title:

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character:

PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT

Synopsis:

Information received KAISER arrested Tel Aviv, Israel
for entering country on forged U.S. passport of JEROME
SCHNEIDER. [REDACTED] b7C b7D

U.S. Customs advised he received information that KAISER
was in Israel using name SCHNEIDER. FBI Laboratory unable
to reach definite conclusion upon examination of KAISER
passport photograph, and KAISER arrest photograph as being
same individual.

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DETAILS:

On July 7, 1976, information was received from
the United States Department of State, Passport Section,
Washington, D.C., that EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., had been
arrested on March 2, 1976, attempting to enter Tel Aviv,
Israel on the forged passport of JEROME SCHNEIDER, Number
B1740219. The passport had been issued on August 16,
1971, in Miami, Florida.

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The Department of State, Passport Section, waived preliminary jurisdiction in the matter to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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Date of transcription 7/12/76

[redacted] United States Customs, 100 Northeast 7th Street, Miami, Florida, was advised of the nature of the investigation and the identity of the interviewing Special Agent.

[redacted] he received a telephone call from EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., during March or April, 1976. KAISER advised him that he anticipated getting into trouble. At that time KAISER was using the name JEROME SCHNEIDER.

Later he received a letter from [redacted] who is the United States Consul in Tel Aviv. [redacted] wrote that he was contacting [redacted] on the request of KAISER. KAISER had said in a press interview that he had entered Israel on a forged passport for the purpose of immigrating into Israel.

Refer
To
CIA
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[redacted]
Then KAISER had altered his own birth certificate to indicate that he was Jewish.

[redacted] concluded by advising that he expects KAISER to claim he was working for United States Customs and other federal agencies. He was not working for United States Customs at the time of his trip to Israel.

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Interviewed on 7/9/76 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 40-63

by SA [redacted] B7C Date dictated 7/12/76



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (40-289)

August 13, 1976

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| | FBI FILE NO. | 40-84890 |
| EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR. AKA FUGITIVE; | LAB. NO. | D-760716017 PN D-760719001 PN |
| Re: PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT | | |

Specimens received 7/15/76 from SAC, Washington Field Office under cover of communication dated 7/14/76 (D-760716017 PN):

Q1 Original passport in the name of JEROME SCHNEIDER bearing the photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER

Specimen received 7/16/76 from SAC, New York under cover of communication dated 7/14/76 (D-760719001 PN):

K1 Three prints each of the arrest photographs of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Result of examination:

While some characteristics in common were noted between the Q1 photograph contained in the passport and the known photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., K1, a definite conclusion could not be reached as to whether they are the same individual due to the lack of specific individual identifying characteristics.

Q1 and K1 are returned with copies of this report to their respective contributors.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 8/2/76

On July 23, 1976, EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER telephonically contacted SA [REDACTED] and furnished the following information:

While KAISER was incarcerated at the Marshal's Office in Miami, Florida, he met a fellow prisoner named [REDACTED] who stated he was in jail for conspiring against the economy of the United States. [REDACTED] said his [REDACTED] was not in jail but was involved with him. [REDACTED] claimed that he was going to be given \$75,000 to relocate in California. [REDACTED] claimed that he was a Government witness against KAISER and was going to testify against him. KAISER said "I told him I was under arrest for forging a passport," and [REDACTED] said that KAISER must be the guy he was going to testify against.

[REDACTED]

Referred to CIA

It is noted that SA [REDACTED] has interviewed KAISER many times in the past and KAISER has now taken the attitude that he is and acts like he is a United States Government intelligence agent.

His demeanor has changed from that of a criminal being misunderstood by the Federal Government to that of a fellow intelligence agent operating on secret missions. KAISER talks of his close friendship and association with [REDACTED]

Interviewed on 7/23/76 at Miami, Florida File # Miami

by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 7/29/76

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On July 8, 1976, Assistant United States Attorney REBEKAH J. POSTON, Southern District of Florida, Miami, Florida, authorized the filing of an arrest warrant with the United States Magistrate.

On July 9, 1976, a complaint was filed before United States Magistrate PETER R. PALERMO, Miami, Florida, charging EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., with violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1543, stating that on or about March 2, 1976, he wilfully and knowingly used, forged, and altered a passport which was validly issued by the United States of America.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATT: SPECIAL PHOTOGRAPH MATTERS UNIT)

FROM : *[Handwritten initials]* ADIC, NEW YORK (40-461)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER aka
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT
(OO:MM)

DATE: AUG 20 1976

ReNYairtel, 7/20/76.

Enclosed for the Special Photograph Matters Unit, FBIHQ, are three color photographs of subject which were taken at the time of his arrest on 7/9/76.

Also enclosed are three of these photographs for Miami and two for WFO.

- 1 - 40-461 (40-461)*
- EX-108
- REC-33
- 3 - Bureau (Encls. 3)
(1 - Special Photograph Matters Unit)
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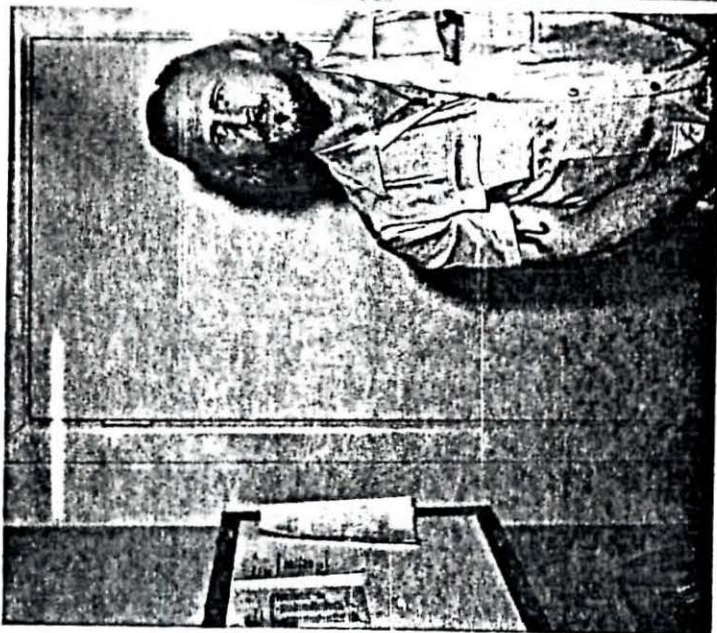
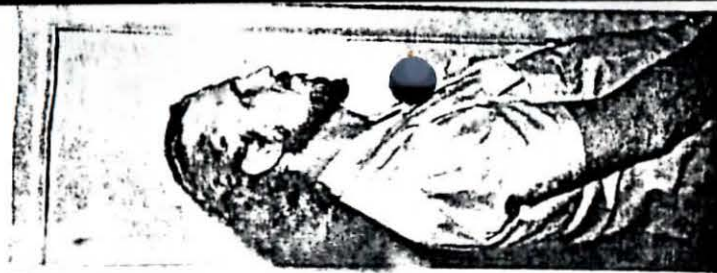


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ENCLOSURES (3) TO BUREAU
ATT: SPECIAL PHOTOGRAPH
MATTERS UNIT

NYfile 40-461

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER aka
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT
(OO:MM)

Enclosed are three color or
photographs of subject.

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Date: 9/7/76

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (40-84890)

FROM: SAC, WFO (40-289) (RUC)

SUBJECT: *CR NY TEL 7-9-76*
EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR., AKA
FUGITIVE;
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED
AND ALTERED PASSPORT
(OO:MM)

Re WFO airtel 7/14/76 and FBI Laboratory
Report 8/13/76.

On 9/1/76, the original passport in the name of
JEROME SCHNEIDER bearing the photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN
KAISER, was returned personally to [REDACTED] *BK*
Legal Division, Passport Office, Washington, D.C., by
SC SADIE L. DYE, WFO.

No additional investigation being conducted by WFO.

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C L E A R

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., ALSO KNOWN AS, PASSPORT AND
VISA MATTERS-FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT, OO: MIAMI
REMMTEL, SEPTEMBER 16, 1976.

ON SEPTEMBER 9, 1976, IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION
SERVICE (INS), JFKIA. NEW YORK, PAROLED SUBJECT AS AN
ALIEN INTO UNITED STATES FOR PURPOSE OF CRIMINAL PROSECUTION
BASED UPON ARREST WARRANT, USDC, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA,
DATED JULY 7, 1976.

INS NOTICE OF DETAINER AND ARRIVAL RECORD REGARDING
SUBJECT WAS FORWARDED TO MIAMI BY NEW YORK AIRTEL, JULY 14,
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ED IN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA, PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT, OO: MIAMI.

AUSA, MIAMI, REQUESTED FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM AMERICAN
CONSULATE, TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AND INS, NEW YORK, PRIOR TO
PRESENTING FACTS TO FGJ:

DETERMINE FROM AMERICAN CONSULATE FACTS SURROUNDING SUBJECT'S
ARREST ON CHARGE OF ENTERING ISRAEL ON FORGED PASSPORT, AND
REASON WHY SUBJECT WENT TO US, SINCE HE IS NOT US CITIZEN.

NEW YORK, DETERMINE FROM INS, JFK, WHY SUBJECT ACCEPTED
INTO US AND HIS ENTRY NOT REFUSED SINCE NOT US CITIZEN

WASHINGTON FIELD, FURNISH ORIGINAL SCHNEIDER PASSPORT TO

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Date: 9/24/76

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION
 FROM: SAC, WFO (40-289)(P) LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR., aka
 PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED
 AND ALTERED PASSPORT
 (OO:MM)

Re Miami teletype 9/16/76.

Enclosed for FBIHQ is original passport in the
 name of JEROME SCHNEIDER bearing the photograph of EDWIN
 BENJAMIN KAISER.

The enclosed passport was obtained from [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] Legal Division, Passport Office, Washington, D.C., on
 9/23/76, by SC [REDACTED]

After completion of fingerprint examination the
 original passport should be returned to WFO.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537



REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.
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LATENT CASE NO.

40-288X104
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B-37072

REC-59

October 1, 1976

TO:

SAC, WFO

RE:

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA;
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT

REFERENCE:

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Airtel 9-24-76
SPECIMENS: NFO

Passport

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One latent fingerprint and two latent palm prints of value were developed on the passport.

The latent fingerprint developed on a passport, in the name of Jerome Schneider, bearing the #B1740219, has been identified as the left middle finger impression of Edwin Benjamin Kaiser, FBI #243334B.

No palm prints are contained in our Identification Division files for Kaiser.

The specimen is enclosed.

Enc.

2 - Miami (40-63)
1 - New York (40-461)

TRW:djb
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Richard J. Galt
Assistant Director, Identification Division

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 9-27-76 2:38 p.m. bjg

Reference No: 40-289

Received: 9-27-76

FBI File No: 44-38861-21

Latent Case No: B-37072

Answer to: SAC, Washington Field Office

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to: SAC, Miami (40-63)

RE: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA;
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT

Date of reference communication: Airtel 9-24-76

Specimens: 1 passport

Result of examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]
Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

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Edwin Benjamin Kaiser, Jr., FBI # 245-30410

The specimen was received on 9-27-76.

3. The specimen was compared with the latent prints and the results are as follows:

1. The specimen was compared with the latent prints and the results are as follows:

2. The specimen was compared with the latent prints and the results are as follows:

Examination completed

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E F T O

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., AKA, PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT, OO: MIAMI.

REMIAMI TELETYPE SEPTEMBER 16, 1976.

REQUEST FOLLOWING BE TRANSMITTED MIAMI AND WFO.

BY UNCLASSIFIED TELEGRAM DATED OCTOBER 6, 1976, AMERICAN
CONSULATE, TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

SUBJECT SUCCESSFULLY ENTERED ISRAEL JANUARY 9, 1976,
BEARING U.S. PASSPORT B - 1740219 ISSUED IN NAME OF JEROME SCHNEIDER.
KAISER CLAIMS HE OBTAINED SCHNEIDER'S PASSPORT WITH HIS KNOWLEDGE
AND SIMPLY AFFIXED HIS OWN PHOTOGRAPH. PURPOSE WAS TO ENTER ISRAEL
AS JEW WITH INTENTION OF VOLUNTEERING HIS SERVICES TO ISRAELI
MILITARY. HE STAYED AT A KIBBUTZ AFTER HIS ARRIVAL BUT WAS
EXPELLED BECAUSE OF UNSUITABLE BEHAVIOR. RECORD INDICATES HE
WAS ARRESTED ON FORGERY CHARGES IN HAIFA, ISRAEL, ON FEBRUARY
29, BUT NO INDICATION AS TO WHY HE CAME TO ATTENTION OF POLICE.

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SUBJECT DEPORTED TO U.S. WITH TRANSPORTATION BOARDING LETTER ISSUED BY AMERICAN EMBASSY, TEL AVIV, IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED FROM SECRETARY OF STATE TELEGRAM 151507 REPEAT 151507 OF JUNE 19, 1976. INSTRUCTIONS REQUESTED EMBASSY NOTIFY INS/CENTRAL OFFICE /FOREIGN FOR EEM- [REDACTED] AND DEPARTMENT PASSPORT/LEGAL [REDACTED] INFORMATION DEPARTMENT, VISA OFFICE OF SUBJECT 'S ARRIVAL IN U.S. TWO WEEKS IN ADVANCE. b7c

SUBJECT IS STATELESS. HE LOST U.S. CITIZENSHIP JANUARY 29, 1959, BECAUSE OF SERVICE IN FRENCH FOREIGN LEGION. HE RECEIVED IMMIGRANT VISA IN PARIS AND INS FILE INDICATES HE ENTERED U.S. ON OCTOBER 4, 1959, A 11 486 608. INS FILE INDICATES SECOND ALIEN REGISTRATION NUMBER (A 18 827 343) CREATED FOR SUBJECT ON AUGUST 25, 1970, WHEN INS RECEIVED CERTIFICATE OF LOSS OF U.S. CITIZENSHIP FROM DEPARTMENT OF STATE. SUBJECT STATED HE LOST AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP IN 1961, HAD NEVER BEEN ABSENT FROM U.S. FOR ONE YEAR OR LONGER SINCE 1959, AND LAST DEPARTED U.S. ON JANUARY 8, 1976.

PAGE THREE E F T O

LEAD - WFO

AT STATE DEPARTMENT, REVIEW STATE TELEGRAM 151507 OF JUNE 19, 1976, AND AVAILABLE BACKGROUND RELATING TO THAT TELEGRAM AS TO REASON SUBJECT PERMITTED TO RETURN TO U.S. SINCE NOT U.S. CITIZEN. PROMPTLY FURNISH RESULTS TO MIAMI FOR REFERRAL TO AUSA, MIAMI.

UACB, LEGAT ROME TAKING NO FURTHER ACTION THIS MATTER.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (40-84890)

FROM: SAC, WFO (40-289) (RUC)

SUBJECT: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER JR., AKA
FUGITIVE;
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED
AND ALTERED PASSPORT
(OO:MM)

Re WFO airtel 9/24/76 and Latent Fingerprint
Report dated 10/1/76.

On 10/7/76, the original passport in the name of
JEROME SCHNEIDER bearing the photograph of EDWIN BENJAMIN
KAISER, was returned personally to [REDACTED] Legal
Division, Passport Office, Washington, D.C., by SC [REDACTED]
WFO.

② - Bureau
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Special Agent in Charge

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| REPORTING OFFICE MIAMI | OFFICE OF ORIGIN MIAMI | DATE 11/29/76 | INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 9/9/76 - 10/7/76 |
| TITLE OF CASE EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka | | REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED] B7C | TYPED BY lsp |
| | | CHARACTER OF CASE PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT | |

REFERENCES

Miami report of SA [REDACTED] dated **8/20/76**.
Miami teletype to the Bureau dated 9/16/76.

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LEADSWASHINGTON FIELD

At Washington, D. C.:

Will review Department of State teletype number
151507 of June 19, 1976 as requested in Legat, Rome teletype

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dated October 7, 1976 and submit Letterhead Memorandum to Miami.

MIAMI

At Miami, Florida:

Will furnish Washington Field Letterhead Memorandum to United States Attorney's Office and follow prosecution of subject.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami, Florida
(Attention: Assistant U. S. Attorney DAVID GENESON)
1 - Immigration and Naturalization Service, Miami, Florida
(Attention: [REDACTED])

Report of: [REDACTED] Office: *BK* Miami, Florida
Date: 11/29/76 *B7C*

Field Office File #: 40-63 Bureau File #: 2-2005

Title: EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character: PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT

Synopsis:

KAISER paroled into United States as alien due to outstanding warrant. One fingerprint identified as belonging to KAISER developed in SCHNEIDER's passport. Subject entered Israel 1/9/76 with SCHNEIDER's passport, arrested by Israeli Police, 2/76 for forgery and returned to United States. Original SCHNEIDER passport returned to passport office.

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DETAILS:

On September 9, 1976, records of the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), John F. Kennedy International Airport, New York, New York reflected that INS paroled the subject as an alien into the United States for the purpose of criminal prosecution based upon an arrest warrant dated July 7, 1976 outstanding in the Southern District of Florida (SDF).

On October 1, 1976, examination of the United States passport in the name of JEROME SCHNEIDER, number B-1740219 by the Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint

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Section of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) developed one latent fingerprint and two latent palm prints of value. The latent fingerprint developed was identified as the left middle finger impression of EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, FBI number 243334B.

Information received by the American Embassy, in Tel Aviv, Israel reflected that KAISER entered Israel on January 9, 1976 bearing United States passport number B-1740219 issued in the name of JEROME SCHNEIDER. [REDACTED] b7c

The purpose was so that he could enter Israel as being Jewish with the intention of volunteering his services to Israeli military. He reportedly stayed at a Kibbutz after his arrival, but was expelled because of unsuitable behavior.

Records indicate he was arrested on forgery charges at Haifa, Israel on February 29, 1976, but there was no indication why he came to the attention of the police.

The subject was deported to the United States with transportation boarding letter issued by the American Embassy, Tel Aviv, Israel.

On October 7, 1976, the original passport in the name of JEROME SCHNEIDER, was returned to [REDACTED] Legal Division, Passport Office, Washington, D. C. by Special Clerk [REDACTED] b7c

FBI

Date:

12/15/76

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (2-2005)
FROM: SAC, WFO (40-289) (RUC)

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka
PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS -
FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT
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ReMMrep of SA [REDACTED] dated 11/29/76,
and Legat, Rome, teletype, dated 10/7/76.

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and six
copies of an LHM. Also, enclosed for Miami is one copy of
an LHM.

The representative of the Federal Bureau of
Investigation (FBI), who reviewed the file of EDWIN BENJAMIN
KAISER, JR. at the Passport Office, United States Department
of State (USDS), on 10/8/76, was SA [REDACTED]

The communication in the file of EDWIN BENJAMIN
KAISER, JR. was teletype 151507, dated 6/15/76, from USDS,
Washington, D. C. (WDC), to the American Embassy in Tel Aviv,
Israel.

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Washington, D.C. 20535
December 15, 1976

In Reply, Please Refer to
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EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

On December 8, 1976, a representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) reviewed a communication dated June 19, 1976 in the file of Edwin Benjamin Kaiser, Jr. at the Legal Division, Passport Office, United States Department of State, Washington, D.C. This communication reflected that the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) advises Edwin Benjamin Kaiser, Jr. entered the United States on October 4 (no year given), alien registration number A11486608, and that INS file indicates second alien registration number A18827343 created for Kaiser on August 25, 1970, when service received certification of his loss of United States citizenship from Passport Office of Department of State.

Second paragraph advises that when Embassy issues transportation boarding letter, INS requests notification by telegram two weeks before Kaiser's expected arrival in the United States to include date, arrival time, flight number, and port of entry.

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| EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR., aka ¹ 3 | | [REDACTED] b7c | lsp |
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| | | PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED PASSPORT | |

REFERENCES

Miami report of S. [REDACTED] dated
11/29/76.
Miami airtel and Letterhead Memorandum
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Copy to:

- 1 - United States Attorney, Miami, Florida
(Attention: Assistant U. S. Attorney DAVID GENESON)
- 1 - Immigration and Naturalization Service, Miami,
Florida
(Attention: [REDACTED])

Report of:

Date:

February 11, 1977

Office:

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Miami, Florida

Field Office File #:

40-63

Bureau File #:

2-2005

Title:

EDWIN BENJAMIN KAISER, JR.

Character:

PASSPORT AND VISA MATTERS - FORGED AND ALTERED
PASSPORT

Synopsis:

AUSA, Miami instructed matter to be closed as venue could not be determined. KAISER died 2/7/77.

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DETAILS:

On January 19, 1977, Assistant United States Attorney (AUSA) DAVID GENESON, United States Attorney's Office, Miami, Florida advised that upon review of captioned matter, he could not determine a successful means of prosecuting the subject, because he was unable to determine venue in the case. It was unknown whether KAISER had departed the United States from the Southern District of Florida or from elsewhere.

AUSA GENESON directed that the matter be closed and that no further investigation be conducted.

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DEATH OF SUBJECT

On February 9, 1977, the following article appeared in the Miami Herald newspaper, page 3B under "Death Notices":

"KAISER

Mr. EDWIN B., JR., 41 of Hialeah passed away February 7, 1977. Resident of this community for seven years coming from Alaska. He was a self employed sheet metal worker. Survived by his wife, SONIA, Hialeah, son, SCOTT KAISER, daughter, ELIZABETH C. KAISER, both of Hialeah, father Mr. EDWIN B. KAISER, SR. Memorial services will be held 8:00 P.M., Wednesday at the Carl F. Slade Palm Springs - Miami Chapel, 1325 West 49th Street".

On February 10, 1977, the attached report from [REDACTED] released to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. 870

EDWIN B. KAISER, JR. was fingerprinted by the Dade County Medical Examiner and his fingerprints are to be forwarded to the Identification Division of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C.

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